



**SHARON
1987**

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

	Emergencies	Regular Business
AMBULANCE	784-2121	784-5677
POLICE DEPARTMENT	784-3535	784-5300
FIRE DEPARTMENT	784-2121	784-5677
CIVIL DEFENSE	784-5631	784-6993
HIGHWAY, WATER		
Weekdays	784-5961	
Nights, Weekends,		
Holidays	784-5300	

FOR INFORMATION ON:

Aging, Programs for	Community Center	784-8000
Assessments	Assessors	784-5771
Birth Certificates	Town Clerk	784-6900
Building Permits	Building Inspector	784-6769
Conservation	Conservation Commission .	784-8499
Cutler Clinic	Norfolk Mental Health	769-3120
Death Certificates	Town Clerk	784-6900
Dog Licenses	Town Clerk	784-6900
Elections	Town Clerk	784-6900
Engineering	Engineer	784-6769
Game Warden	Mass. Fish and Game	727-3151
Refuse Collection	DPW	784-5961
Housing, Elderly	Hixson Farm Complex	784-2733
Marriage Certificates	Town Clerk	784-6900
Medicaid	State Welfare	762-6300
Mortgages, Chattel	Town Clerk	784-6900
Mosquito Control	Norfolk County Control	762-3681
Recreation	Community Center	784-7500
Schools	Superintendent's Office ...	784-5937
Self-Help	Brockton Office	588-5440
Snow Removal	DPW	784-5961
Streets	DPW	784-5961
Tax Assessments	Assessors	784-5771
Taxes, Collection	Tax Collector	784-5000
Trees	DPW	784-5961
Voting and Registration	Town Clerk	784-6900
Water	DPW	784-5961
Welfare	State Welfare	762-6300
Wiring	Wiring Inspector	784-6769
Zoning	Building Inspector	784-6769

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ANNUAL REPORT

To the Citizens

of the

TOWN OF SHARON



1987

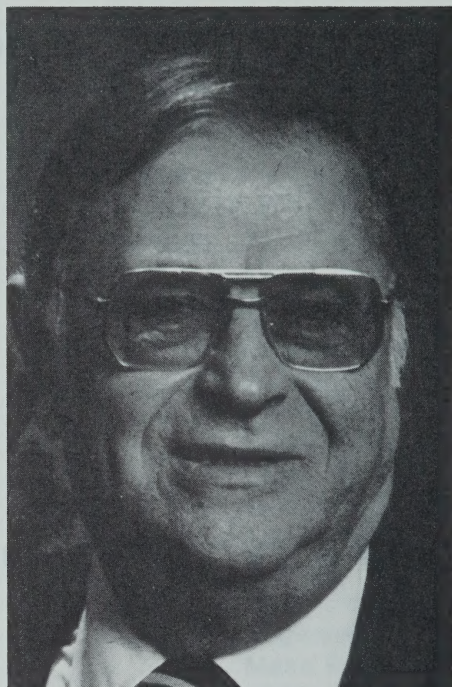
Cover Photo: James M. Keating, Sharon Police Department showing Post Office Square traffic safety improvements and mini-park constructed in 1987.

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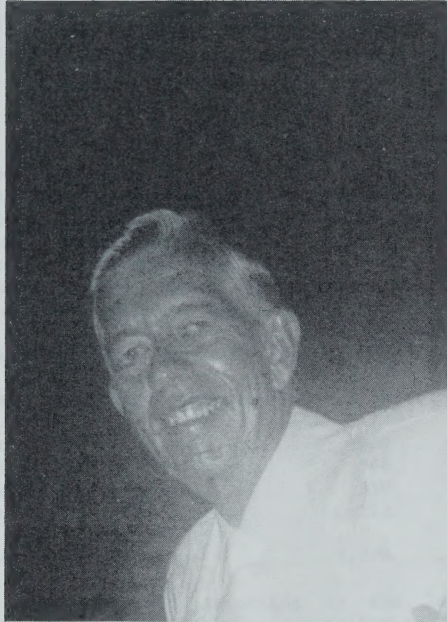


LEON WOLFSON

September 9, 1914 - February 14, 1987

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

1976 - 1987



FRANCIS J. CONDON

July 7, 1927 - December 31, 1987


Industrial Building Committee

Police, Fire, DPW Building Committee

School Building Committee

Resource Recovery Committee

Cable TV Selection Committee



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ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

April 6, 1987

Pursuant to the provision of the Warrant of February 12, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in elections met in the Sharon High School Gymnasium at 7:00 A.M. Monday, April 6, 1987. The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport, who read the call and return of the Warrant. Ballot boxes were shown to be empty, registering zero, boxes locked and key delivered to Thomas McGuire, Police Officer of the day. The election officers were sworn. The Warden was Virginia Markt. Precinct 1, 2, 3, and 4 Wardens were Pauline Fleming, Iris Lovett, Marjorie Dunn, and Mary Sullivan.

At 8:00 P.M. the polls were declared closed. Total votes:

Precinct 1	329
Precinct 2	369
Precinct 3	350
Precinct 4	222
TOTAL	1,270

The ballots were canvassed according to the law by a Precinct Election Processing System. Results were transcribed on Tally Sheets and declaration made by Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport at 8:34 P.M.

PRECINCT NUMBERS	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
MODERATOR					
*George E. Donovan	257	307	293	196	1,053
Blanks	72	62	57	26	217
SELECTMAN (3 Years)					
*Norman Katz	216	306	224	149	895
Harold Noddell	89	52	93	59	293
Blanks	24	11	33	14	82
TOWN CLERK (3 Years)					
*Shirley S. Davenport	273	309	294	196	1,072
Blanks	56	60	56	26	198
ASSESSOR (3 Years)					
*Paula B. Keefe	215	270	254	152	891
Blanks	114	99	96	70	379
ASSESSOR (2 Year)					
*Ellen Wolfson Abelson	166	230	187	101	684
Betsy Naglin	96	102	99	80	377
Blanks	67	37	64	41	209

HOUSING AUTHORITY (5 Years)

*Jacqueline Little	205	271	247	159	882
Blanks	124	98	103	63	388

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Years)

*Martin J. Badoian	188	218	199	142	747
*Corrine Hershman	211	267	227	136	841
Blanks	259	253	274	166	952

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (1 Year)

Irene S. Kaufman	116	200	173	92	581
*Ellen B. Schoenfeld	197	155	165	115	632
Blanks	16	14	12	15	57

PLANNING BOARD (5 Years)

*Thomas C. Houston	213	235	247	137	832
Blanks	116	134	103	85	438

LIBRARY TRUSTEE (3 Years)

*Helen V. Hogan	207	230	239	162	838
Mark A. Popovsky	169	189	194	113	665
Blanks	282	319	267	169	1,037

LIBRARY TRUSTEE (1 Year)

*Sandra K. Lindheimer	230	261	262	156	909
Blanks	99	108	88	66	361

Meeting adjourned at 8:34 P.M.

Shirley S. Davenport
TOWN CLERK

Registered Voters - 8,484

Voter Turnout - 15%

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

June 29, 1987

Pursuant to the provisions of the Warrant of June 11, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in town affairs met at the Arthur E. Colline Auditorium at 8:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator George E. Donovan. Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport read the call and return of the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. VOTED:

That the town adopt "Amendment No. 3 to the Agreement for the Establishment of the Southeastern Regional School District," as set forth on Pages 1, 2 and 3 of the Warrant for this Town Meeting.

AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT
OF THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section VII (b) of the District Agreement and pursuant to the order of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts in an action entitled Gerald Kelliher v. Southeastern Regional Vocational High School District, Docket No. 86-1134, dated May 18, 1987, the Agreement entered into by and among the Towns of East Bridgewater, Easton, Foxborough, Mansfield, Norton, Sharon, Stoughton and West Bridgewater and the City of Brockton, Massachusetts, pursuant to which the Southeastern Regional School District was established and now operates is hereby amended by:

Striking in its entirety, Section I: The Regional District School Committee, and inserting in place thereof the following:

SECTION I: THE REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

(A) COMPOSITION

The Regional District School Committee, hereinafter sometimes referred to as the Committee, shall consist of ten members; two members shall be residents and registered voters of the City of Brockton, and one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of East Bridgewater, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Easton, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Foxborough, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Mansfield, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Norton, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Sharon, one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of Stoughton, and one member shall be a resident and registered voter of the Town of West Bridgewater. The members of the Committee shall be elected at large by the voters of all of the district towns and the City of Brockton on the same date as the state's general election. All members shall serve until their respective successors are elected and qualified.

(B) NOMINATION AND ELECTION PROCEDURES:

Nomination for election to the District School Committee shall be in accordance with General Laws Chapter 53, Section 7, as amended. The Secretary of the District School Committee shall be responsible for preparing and distributing nomination papers, and for preparing and deliverance to the City and Town Clerks the separate ballots which are to be used for the District election. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to certify the election.

Nomination for election shall be by petition. The signatures of 75 registered voters who are residents of the District shall be required for nomination. Nomination papers shall be available from the District Office. Completed nomination papers shall be returned to the District Office not later than 60 days prior to the scheduled November election.

The deadline for voter registration in a district election is 28 days

before the election.

(C) ELECTED MEMBERS:

In November 1987 on the date of the Brockton municipal election one resident from each of the Towns of East Bridgewater, West Bridgewater, Stoughton, Easton and one member of the City of Brockton shall be elected, at large, to serve on the Committee for a term of three years. In November 1988, on the date of the biennial state election one resident from each of the Towns of Foxborough, Norton, Mansfield, Sharon, and one member from the City of Brockton shall be elected, at large, to serve on the Committee for a term of four years. Thereafter, in every year in which the term of office of an elected member expires, a resident of the same city or town shall be elected, at large, to serve for a term of four years. Present members of the Committee will serve until their successors are elected and duly qualified.

(D) VACANCIES:

If a vacancy occurs among the elected members resident in a town, the selectmen and the local school committee members from the town involved, acting jointly, shall appoint a member to serve until the next regularly scheduled November election, at which election a successor shall be elected to serve for the balance of the unexpired term, if any. If a vacancy occurs among the members resident in the City of Brockton, the City Council and School Committee of the City of Brockton, acting jointly, shall appoint a member to serve for the balance of the unexpired term.

(E) ORGANIZATION AND COMMENCEMENT OF TERMS OF OFFICE:

The term of office of any member from a member town shall begin on the date of the first School Committee meeting following the election of said member. On the date of the first School Committee meeting after election of new members, and at no other time, the Committee shall organize and choose by voice vote a chairman for a term of one year from among its own membership. At the same meeting, or at any other meeting, the Committee shall appoint a treasurer and a secretary, who may be the same person but who need not be a member of the Committee, choose such other officers as it deems advisable, all to serve for a term of one year, and prescribe the powers and duties of any of its officers, fix the time and place for its regular meetings and provide for the calling of special meetings.

(F) POWERS AND DUTIES

The Committee shall have all the powers and duties conferred and imposed upon it by this Agreement and such other additional powers and duties as are specified in Chapter 489 of the Acts of 1963, and any amendments thereof or additions thereto, now or hereafter enacted, or as may be specified in any other applicable general or special law.

(G) QUORUM:

The quorum for the transaction of business shall be a majority of the Committee, but a number less than the majority may adjourn.

VOTED that the Special Town Meeting of June 29, 1987 be dissolved at 8:10 P.M.

ATTEST: Shirley S. Davenport
TOWN CLERK

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION

November 3, 1987

Pursuant to the provisions of the Warrant of September 16, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in elections met in the Sharon High School Gymnasium at 12:00 Noon, Tuesday, November 3, 1987. The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport, who read the call and return of the Warrant. Reading of the remainder of the Warrant was waived by unanimous consent. Ballot boxes were shown to be empty and registered zero, boxes were locked and keys delivered to the Police Officer of the day, Donald Williams.

The following officers were sworn: Election Warden, Katherine Neault; Precinct Wardens, Marjorie Dunn, Pauline Fleming, Virginia Markt and Mary Sullivan. Election Officers: Doris Annis, Patricia Crockett, Lillian Crosman, John Eldracher, Elizabeth Farrar, John Flaherty, Chandler Jones, Lorraine Minsky, Betty Outlaw, Edward Rockett, Dorothy Rothberg, Frank Savino, and Virginia Williams.

At 8:00 P.M. the polls were declared closed and 3 absentee ballots were voted. Total votes: Precinct 1, 31; Precinct 2, 23; Precinct 3, 51; Precinct 4, 35; Total Votes, 140. The ballots were canvassed according to law by a Precinct Election Processing System. Results were transcribed on tally sheets and declaration made at 8:50 P.M. by Shirley S. Davenport, Town Clerk.

Registered Voters - 8,594
Voter Turnout - 2%

PRECINCT NUMBERS	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
Southeastern Regional School District--School Committee					
Armstead, Ralph					
73 Belmont St., Easton	22	17	40	23	102
Churchill, George Jr.					
186 Riverview St., Brockton	19	13	37	19	88
Grise, Norman					
71 Robins St., E. Bridgewater	18	9	31	18	76
Homer, Charles D.					
98 Westview Dr., Stoughton	25	18	44	28	115
Kostecki, Eugene					
25 E. Center St., W. Bridgewater	18	15	39	20	92
Meaney, Joseph					
769 Elm St., E. Bridgewater	15	12	20	16	63
Blanks	38	31	44	51	164
TOTALS	155	115	255	175	700

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 13, 1987

Pursuant to the provisions of the warrant of February 12, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in town affairs met at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium at 8:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator George E. Donovan. Town Clerk Shirley Davenport read the call and return of the warrant.

VOTED:

That the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned to reconvene at the Arthur E. Collins auditorium on Wednesday, April 15, 1987, at 8:30 P.M.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 13, 1987

Pursuant to the provisions of the warrant of February 19, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in town affairs met at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium at 8:05 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator George E. Donovan. Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport read the call and return of the warrant.

VOTED:

That the Special Town Meeting be adjourned to reconvene at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium on Wednesday, April 15, 1987, at 8:25 P.M.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 13, 1987

The Special Town Meeting of April 13, 1987 was adjourned at 8:10 P.M. to reconvene at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium on Pond Street on Wednesday, April 15, 1987, at 8:25 P.M. then and there to act on all unfinished business in the Special Town Warrant of 1987

Attest: Shirley S. Davenport
TOWN CLERK

ADJOURNED SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 15, 1987

Moderator, George E. Donovan, called the adjourned Special Town Meeting to order. Prayer for divine guidance was offered by Moderator, George E. Donovan.

Town Clerk, Shirley S. Davenport read the posted notice of adjournment of the Special Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 1. VOTED:

That the town appropriate the additional sum of \$30,000. to be added to the Department of Public Works budget voted at the 1986 Annual Town Meeting, and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$30,000. be transferred from the Street Lighting budget voted at the 1986 Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 2. VOTED:

That the town amend the vote taken under Article 5 of the 1986 Annual Town Meeting for the Public Library budget by adding the following words:

"of which the sum of \$500. shall be for out-of-state expenses."

VOTED:

That the Special Town Meeting of April 15, 1987 be dissolved at 8:42 P.M.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 13, 1987

The Annual Town Meeting of April 13, 1987 was adjourned at 8:05 P.M. to reconvene at the Arthur E. Colline Auditorium on Pond Street on Wednesday, April 15, 1987, at 8:30 P.M., then and there to act on all unfinished business in the Annual Town Warrant of 1987.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 15, 1987

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting of April 15, 1987 was called to order by Moderator George E. Donovan.

Town Clerk, Shirley S. Davenport, read the posted notice of adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 2.

The Committee on Nominations for the Warrant Committee submitted the following names to fill the three year terms: Richard B. Rabatsky, 57 West Ridge Drive; Mitchell Blaustein, 5 Tamworth Road; Thomas C. Sweeney, 6 Cheryl Drive.

The above names were put to a vote singly and declared elected.

At this point, the Moderator presented to the meeting the names of those to serve at the Committee on Nominations for the Warrant Committee for the 1987 Annual Town Meeting: Bruce Luchner, 20 Highland Street; Eleanor Herburger, 22 Depot Street; Joan Leighton, 42 Ames Street; Lloyd P. McDonald, 5 Ridge Road; Lee Barron Wernick, 19 Condor Road.

ARTICLE 3. VOTED:

That the reports of the various town officials, boards and committees be received for filing.

ARTICLE 4. MOVED:

That the town amend the Personnel By-Law of the Town of Sharon as printed in the warrant.

MOVED:

To amend the Warrant Committee motion by deleting A-9. Establish a position of Executive Director for the Council on Aging with a maximum salary of \$25,000.

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS QUESTION

Votes in the affirmative in excess of 35. Votes in the negative 8. A standing vote.

MOVED:

To amend the Warrant Committee motion by deleting A-9. Establish a position of Executive Director for the Council on Aging with a maximum salary of \$25,000. NOT CARRIED

Votes in the affirmative 210. Votes in the negative 225. A standing vote.

VOTED TO MOVE MAIN MOTION.

Votes in the affirmative 304. Votes in the negative 95. A standing vote.

VOTED:

That the town amend the Personnel By-Law of the Town of Sharon as follows:

- A. By ratifying the following interim and/or emergency changes, additions to, or deletions from the Personnel By-Law, which changes were adopted by the Personnel Board, in accordance with its authority under Section 2-6 (f) of the Personnel By-Law, subsequent to the most recent Annual Town Meeting.
1. Establish Section 1.450 in the classification schedule and insert within: Administrative Secretary/Board of Selectmen at 443.10 per week effective July 1, 1986.
 2. Establish the part-time position of Computer Operator at Level IV, Step 2, at 6.26 per hour, effective April 14, 1986.
 3. Amend the previous action taken by the Personnel Board of March 3, 1986 establishing a 15,000. per year salary for the Data Processing Manager and change it to 17,110. per year effective July 1, 1986.
 4. Establish the position of Administrative Assistant to the Public Library Director (00 job) part-time position (Grade 2).
 5. Reclassify the Conservation Commission Secretary from Group 5 to Group 4, Step 1, effective January 2, 1986.
 6. Reclassify the Sharon Public Library Assistant/Circulation Department Supervisor from Group 3 to Group 2 effective April 1, 1986.
 7. Change the subtitle of the Public Works organization entitled Highway Division to Operations Division and to change the Highway Supervisor, ATP 1, position title to Operations Division Supervisor, ATP 1.
 8. Change the title of Recreation Department Program Director to Assistant Recreation Director.
 9. Establish a position of Executive Director for the Council on Aging with a maximum salary of \$25,000.
 10. Retroactively increase the rate of Gateguard position effective July 1, 1986, from \$3.50 to \$3.55 per hour.
 11. Increase salary of Assistant Assessor from \$28,000. to \$29,500. July 1, 1986.

12. Add an additional paragraph to Article 7-9 of the Personnel By-Laws: "At the time of termination of employment by reason of retirement or death the Administrative Secretary to the Board of Selectmen shall be awarded accumulated sick leave in excess of 100 days and shall be compensated in accordance with the following "Buy-Back" provision: The number of accumulated sick leave days in excess of 100 to a maximum of 150 days shall be multiplied by itself (squared) to express the dollar amount of sick leave buy-back."
13. Reclassify the position of Police Clerk from Group 4 to Group 3, effective August 18, 1986.
14. Increase the salary of Veterans' Agent from 117.42 per week to 123.88 per week effective July 1, 1986.
15. Amend the Public Safety Category schedule 2.5 of the Personnel By-Law to include additional weekly compensation as designated by the Chief of Police as follows, effective July 1, 1986:
 - Administrative Sergeant - 45. per week
 - Detective Sergeant - 35. per week
 - Special Assignments Officer - 10. per week
16. Retroactively adjust the Dog Officer salary to 282.28 per week beginning July 1, 1985 effective for fiscal 1986.
17. Establish a full time position of Conservation Officer with a salary of 17,000. to 21,000. with a 2,000. car allowance.
18. Increase Head Gateguard pay to 4.00 per hour effective May 15, 1986.
19. Establish three positions in the Department of Public Works as follows:
 - A. ATP Group IIA, Assistant Operations Supervisor, 376.00, 402.00, 430.00, 460.00, 493.00, weekly (5 steps).
 - B. ATP Group IIA, Engineering Aide, 376.00, 402.00, 430.00, 460.00, 493.00, weekly (5 steps).
 - C. ITS-3, Senior Water Systems Technician, 9.71, 9.96, 10.18, 10.43 hourly (4 steps).
20. Adjust the wage scale of the Crossing Guards and Supervisor effective July 1, 1986 as follows:
 - School Crossing Guards - Step 1, 16.87; Step 2, 18.40; Step 3, 20.23 daily.
21. Add the following at the end of the Public Safety Category:
 - "Members of the Fire Department in the above classifications who

become certified, are certified, or are recertified as Emergency Medical Technicians shall receive an annual stipend of Nine Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$950.). Employees not now certified will be given the opportunity to obtain such certification, one at a time. Employees taking the certification course a second or subsequent time will receive overtime payments and tuition reimbursement only upon passing the EMT examination and becoming certified.

Members of the Fire Department are eligible to receive additional compensation in each fiscal year in accordance with the following educational incentive program:

For Fire Science courses approved in advance by the Fire Chief and successfully passed and credits certified, members of the Fire Department in the above classifications shall receive additional compensation in each fiscal year in accordance with the following schedule:

For 15 course credits certified	150. Annually
For 30 course credits certified	300. Annually
For an Associate Degree certified	500. Annually

Payments for Emergency Medical Technician certification and the Educational Incentive Program shall be made respectively on the second and third pay days in the month of November, and Specialist Pay shall be issued in January."

22. By reclassifying the Assessor's Department clerk 1 position from Group III to Group II, effective September 1, 1986.
23. By establishing position of Budget Analyst for the Warrant Committee at a rate of 9.50 per hour under Section 1.600 Miscellaneous Section.

- B. By striking out all classification schedules and pay schedules in Appendix A and substituting as new classification and new pay schedules as of July 1, 1987 and other effective dates where applicable, the revised schedules as follows:

SECTION 1.100 CLASS. SCHEDULE SECTION 2.100 PAY SCHEDULE/ANNUALLY

CODE		
E-2	Superintendent of Public Works	41,685.
E-3	Town Engineer	39,785.
E-4	Town Accountant	31,346.
E-5	Recreation Director	33,261.
E-6	Library Director	32,118.
E-8	Assistant Assessor	31,860.
E-9	Council on Aging Exec. Director	25,000.
E-10*	Conservation Officer	12,075.

* 20 hours per week.

ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL AND PROFESSIONAL CATEGORY

SECTION 1.200

CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.200

PAY SCHEDULE/WEEKLY

July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987*

GROUP I	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Sprvsr Hgwy (Operations)	417.20	446.42	477.66	511.09	546.87
Supervisor Water	417.20	446.42	477.66	511.09	546.87
Building Inspector	417.20	446.42	477.66	511.09	546.87
Public Health Nurse**	260.75	279.01	298.54	319.43	341.79

GROUP II

Adm. Asst. DPW	396.07	423.80	453.46	485.19	519.15
Sr. Engineering Aide	396.07	423.80	453.46	485.19	519.15
Asst. Recreation Dir***	396.07	423.80	453.86	485.19	519.15

GROUP II-A

Asst. Operations Sprvsr	376.00	402.00	430.00	460.00	493.00
Engineering Aide	376.00	402.00	430.00	460.00	493.00

GROUP III

Athletic Supervisor Rec.	294.62	313.03	331.44	349.86	368.26
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* This is the rate that has been in effect, and will continue in effect, until such time as a new collective bargaining agreement is reached.

** 25 hour week.

*** 37 1/2 hour week.

INDUSTRIAL, TRADE AND SERVICE CATEGORY

SECTION 1.300

CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.300

PAY SCHEDULE/HOURLY

Effective July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987*

CLASSIFICATION	CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Working Foreman	ITS-3	9.71	9.96	10.18	10.43
Sr. Water Sys.Tech.	ITS-3	9.71	9.96	10.18	10.43
Master Mechanic	ITS-4	9.37	9.58	9.78	9.96
Tree Climber	ITS-4	9.37	9.58	9.78	9.96
Spec.Hvy.Equip.Op.	ITS-5	8.73	9.01	9.23	9.45
Water System Tech.	ITS-5	8.73	9.01	9.23	9.45
Night Custodian	ITS-5	8.73	9.01	9.23	9.45
Auto Equip. Op.	ITS-6	8.50	8.70	8.87	9.07
Skilled Laborer	ITS-6	8.50	8.70	8.87	9.07
Labor Group II	ITS-7	8.00	8.19	8.39	8.56
Labor Group III	ITS-8	7.70	7.85	8.03	8.19
Auxiliary Labor	ITS-9	7.35	7.50	7.63	7.73
Asst. Dump Op.	ITS-9A	7.10	7.25	7.41	7.50

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OFFICE OCCUPATION CLASSIFICATION

GROUP I

Assistant Town Clerk
Assistant Treasurer
Assistant Town Accountant/Ass't. to Veterans' Agent
Police Secretary
Assistant Collector
Administrative Assistant Assessor's Office

GROUP II

Assistant Town Accountant
Library Technician
Library Circulation Supervisor
Administrative Assistant - Library
Assessor - Clerk 1

GROUP III

DPW Secretary
EDP Operator - Treasurer
Health Secretary
Election/Registration Secretary Clerk
Secretary/Clerk Accounting/Veterans' Agent
Secretary - Personnel Board
Police Clerk
Senior Bookkeeper - Treasurer

GROUP IV

Secretary - Recreation
Secretary - Fire Department
Library Assistant
Secretary - Planning Board
Cashier Clerk
Secretary - Conservation Commission
Assessor - Clerk 2
Computer Operator

SECTION 1.400
CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.400
PAY SCHEDULE/HOURLY

Effective July 1, 1986 - July 30, 1987

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
GROUP I	8.30	8.88	9.51	10.16
GROUP II	7.52	8.04	8.62	9.21
GROUP III	6.79	7.29	7.79	8.33
GROUP IV	6.15	6.57	7.02	7.55

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

TITLE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Comm. Cntr. Custod.	5.75	6.12	6.51	6.91	7.28
Bus Driver Weekly	225.04	241.86	257.19	274.02	289.35

LIBRARY

Cust. Maint. Hourly	5.75	6.12	6.51	6.91	7.28
ATP 9 Info. Service Librarian	267.91	286.27	306.16	327.59	350.57
ATP 9A Child. Serv. Librarian	327.59	350.57	375.11	401.37	429.45
ATP 9A Reference Young Librarian	327.59	350.57	375.11	401.37	429.45

Effective July 1, 1987 - June 30, 1988

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
GROUP I	8.72	9.32	9.99	10.67
GROUP II	7.90	8.44	9.05	9.67
GROUP III	7.13	7.65	8.18	8.75
GROUP IV	6.46	6.90	7.37	7.93
GROUP V	5.85	6.26	6.70	7.17

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

TITLE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Comm. Cntr. Cust.	6.04	6.43	6.84	7.26	7.64
Bus Driver/Weekly	236.29	253.95	270.05	287.72	303.82

LIBRARY

Cust. Maint.	6.04	6.43	6.84	7.26	7.64
ATP9 Info. Service Librarian	281.31	300.58	321.47	343.97	368.10
ATP 9A Child Serv. Librarian	343.97	368.10	393.87	421.44	450.92
ATP 9A Ref Young Librarian	343.97	368.10	393.87	421.44	450.92

SCHEDULE 1.450

CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.450

PAY SCHEDULE/WEEKLY

Administrative Secretary
Board of Selectmen

465.26

PUBLIC SAFETY CATEGORY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987*

TITLE/CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Police Chief					
PD-110					907.54
Lieutenant					
PD-90					611.69
Sergeant					
PD-80					531.67
Patrolman PD-60	363.13	387.54	413.11	443.61	
	PD-60A	PD-60B	PD-60C	PD-60D	
	1st yr	2nd yr	3rd yr	4th yr	

* This is the rate that has been in effect, and will continue in effect, until such time as a new collective bargaining agreement is executed.

Effective July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987*

CIVILIAN DISPATCHERS	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Hourly PD-40	6.53	6.98	7.47	7.92

*This is the rate that has been in effect, and will continue in effect, until such time as a new collective bargaining agreement is reached.

Effective July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987

SCHOOL CROSSING	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3
Guard PD-20 Daily	16.87	18.40	20.23
Supervisor Guard PD-20A Daily			25.32
Matron PD-10 (1st hr)	10.00		
2nd succeeding hrs.	7.00		

PD20 and PD20-A The amounts of pay shown in the above schedule shall be paid in the event that school is cancelled due to snow.

The amounts of pay shown in the above schedules do not include the extra pay for educational qualifications provided for in the statutes and regulations of the state.

Members of the Police Department while so designated by the Chief of Police shall receive additional compensation to be considered part of their base pay as follows:

Detective Patrolman	11.54 per week
Police Prosecutor	11.54 per week
Administrative Sergeant	45.00 per week
Detective Sergeant	35.00 per week
Special Assignments Officer	10.00 per week

The pay of the Police Chief, including all overtime pay, but not including the extra pay for educational qualifications, shall be limited to 907.54 per week, effective July 1, 1987, (non-Civil Service).

The pay of the lieutenant, including all overtime pay, but not including the extra pay for educational qualifications, shall be limited to 611.69 per week, effective July 1, 1987.

*This is the rate that has been in effect, and will continue to be in effect, until such time as a new collective bargaining agreement is executed.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

SECTION 1.510 CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.510 PAY SCHEDULE/WEEKLY

TITLE/CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Fire Chief FD100					792.62

The pay of the Fire Chief, including all overtime pay, shall be limited to 792.62 for fiscal year 1987-88.

Effective July 1, 1985 - June 30, 1986*

Lieutenant FD-80					481.91
Firefighter FD-60	345.44	366.05	385.50	411.73	
	FD-60A	FE-60B	FD-60C	FD-60D	

*This is the rate that has been in effect, and will continue in effect, until such time as a new collective bargaining agreement is executed.

"Members of the Fire Department in the above classifications who become certified, are certified, or are recertified as Emergency Medical Technicians shall receive an annual stipend. Employees not now certified will be given the opportunity to obtain such certification, one at a time. Employees taking the certification course a second or subsequent time will receive overtime payments and tuition reimbursement only upon passing the EMT examination and becoming certified.

Members of the Fire Department are eligible to receive additional compensation in each fiscal year in accordance with the following educational incentive program:

For Fire Science Courses approved in advance by the Fire Chief and successfully passed and credits certified, members of the Fire Department in the above classifications shall receive additional compensation in each fiscal year in accordance with the following schedule:

For 15 course credits certified	150. Annually
For 30 course credits certified	300. Annually
For an associates degree certified	500. Annually

Payments for emergency medical technician certification and the educational incentive program shall be made respectively on the second and third pay days in the month of November, and specialist pay shall be issued in January.

CALL FIREFIGHTERS

July 1, 1986 - July 30, 1989

Hourly Compensation Rate

7/1/86 - 6/30/87	7/1/87 - 6/30/88	7/1/88 - 6/30/89
6.50	7.00	7.50

MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 1.600
CLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE

SECTION 2.600
PAY SCHEDULE

Effective July 1, 1987

TITLE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Veterans' Agent (Wkly)					130.07
Sealer of Weights/Measures (Yrly)					1,148.00
Dog Officer (Wkly)					296.39
Animal Inspector (Yrly)					1,000.00
Cust/Maint (Hrly)	4.68	4.98	5.29	5.61	5.91
DPW Temp/Summer Lbr(Hrly)	5.00	5.50	6.00		
Data Proc. Mgr. (Yrly)					17,966.00
Library Page (Hrly)	3.69	3.83	3.98	4.14	
Budget Analyst (Hrly)*					9.50

* Effective February 23, 1987

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT - PART TIME

Effective May 1, 1987

Playground Inst. 8 wks at 35 hrs week	3.94 per hour
Gymnastic Inst. 6 wks at 20 hrs week	3.94 per hour
Water Safety Inst. 10 wks at 40 hrs week	4.73 per hour
Head Lifeguard 10 wks at 40 hrs week	5.78 per hour
Advanced Lifesaver 10 wks at 40 hrs week	4.20 per hour
Head Gateguard 10 wks at 40 hrs week	4.20 per hour
Gateguard 10 wks at 40 hrs week	3.68 per hour
Sailing Supervisor 10 wks at 40 hrs week	5.25 per hour
Sailing Instructor 10 wks at 40 hrs week	4.73 per hour

- C. By deleting from Section 5-5 the words "Three Years: and by inserting in place thereof the words "Twenty-seven months."
- D. By adding at the end of Section 7-9 the following paragraph:

"At the time of retirement or death, an employee or his or her estate shall be compensated for all accumulated sick leave time in excess of 100 days in accordance with the following 'Buy Back' provision:

The employee or his or her estate shall receive a sum obtained by multiplying the number of accumulated sick leave days in excess of 100 by itself, that is, by squaring such number. In no event shall the town be under obligation to pay more than \$2,500.00."

E. By amending Section 4-1, Paragraph (g), in the following respects:

1. By deleting from each of Clauses 1 and 2 the amount specified therein and by substituting in place thereof \$125. and \$175. respectively as the annual Longevity Benefit.
2. By deleting from Clause 3 the words "or more" and inserting in place thereof the words "but less than Twenty Years" and by deleting the amount specified therein and by inserting in place thereof \$225. as the annual Longevity Benefit.
3. By adding the following new clauses:

"(4) Twenty years but less than twenty-five..." and by inserting at the end thereof \$275. as the Annual Longevity benefit therefor;

"(5) Twenty-five years or more..." and by inserting at the end thereof \$325. as the Annual Longevity benefit."

F. By adding at the end of Section 9-2 the following paragraph:

"Any regular member of the town's Police Department, appointed subsequent to August 1, 1978, shall reside within the town or within fifteen miles of the perimeter of the town; provided, however, if any collective bargaining agreement entered into between the Selectmen and a Union representing the members of the town's Police Department shall require the members of the Police Department, appointed on or after August 1, 1978 to be residents of Sharon, the provisions of such collective bargaining agreement shall supersede the provisions of this paragraph; and provided further, such collective bargaining agreement shall apply only to those regular members of the Police Department appointed subsequent to the adoption of such collective bargaining agreement. This paragraph shall not apply to Police Officers appointed prior to August 1, 1978 who reside outside the town but shall apply to any such officer who changes his domicile after August 1, 1978."

G. By adding at the end of Section 9-5 the following paragraph:

"Any Special Police Officer who passes the written examination required in Section 9-2 shall, so long as he remains a Special Police Officer in good standing and has not attained the age of thirty-five years, continue until he attains such age to be listed on each report

of the Police Selection Review Committee to the Board of Selectmen as one of 'the most qualified candidates to be considered for a permanent appointment as a patrolman'".

VOTED: To consider Article 12.

At this point the Moderator asked that non-voters John Cardone of Metcalf and Eddy and Wasim Habib be allowed to address the meeting.

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS QUESTION

Votes in the affirmative in excess of 25. Votes in the negative 3. A standing vote.

VOTED:

That action under Article 12 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for reopening the landfill on Mountain Street.)

VOTED TO ADJOURN at 10:45 P.M. to reconvene on Wednesday, April 22nd at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium at 8:00 P.M.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 22, 1987

MOTION TO RECONSIDER the vote taken under Article 12 NOT CARRIED.

ARTICLE 5. VOTED:

That the town increase to 55%, effective July 1, 1987, the amount contributed by the town for Group Life and Health Insurance, not only for employees in the service of the town and their dependents, but also for retired employees and their dependents.

ARTICLE 5-A. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate for the various town offices and for defraying charges and expenses of the town, including debt and interest, the various sums recommended by the Warrant Committee and printed in the copy of the warrant for this Annual Town Meeting for Fiscal Year July 1, 1987 through June 30, 1988, except the following:

Board of Selectmen	Schools
Warrant Committee	Council on Aging
Reserve Fund	Department of Public Works
Town Accountant	Parks/Recreation/Comm. Cntr.
Assessors	Norfolk County Retirement
Treasurer	Water Division
Personnel Board	Historic District and
Town Clerk	Historical Commission
Police	Library
Ambulance	Community Celebrations

VOTED:

Moderator	60.00
Law	45,500.00
Data Processing	73,913.00
Elections/Registration	45,977.00
Conservation Commission	19,687.00
Planning Board	11,481.00
Board of Appeal	1,800.00
Development/Industrial Commission	50.00
Affirmative Action	100.00
Town Report	7,000.00
Sign Committee	50.00
Fire Department	646,472.00
Sealer of Weights	1,216.00
Animal Inspector	1,000.00
Civil Defense	7,655.00
Dog Officer	20,024.00
Southeastern Regional Vocational School	68,337.00
Vocational Tuition	4,500.00
Street Lights	301,790.00
Health	131,232.00
Youth Commission	682.00
Veterans	13,366.00
Veterans Graves	750.00
Insurance	814,761.00
Interest	300,000.00
Maturing Debt	565,000.00
Veterans Pensions	7,000.00

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$125,417. for the Board of Selectmen's budget, of which \$500. shall be for the salary of the Chairman and \$800. for the salaries of the other members, and \$124,117. shall be for other salaries, wages and expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,350. for the Warrant Committee budget.

VOTED:

To transfer the sum of \$350,000. from the Overlay Reserve for the Reserve Fund.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$91,524. for the Town Accountant's budget.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$95,840. for the Board of Assessors budget, of which \$2,600. shall be for the salary of the Chairman, \$4,200. shall be for the salaries of the other members, and \$89,040. shall be for other salaries, wages and expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$174,268. for the Treasurer-Collector, of which \$36,479. shall be for the salary of the Treasurer, and \$137,789. shall be for other salaries, wages and expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500. for the Personnel Board budget.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,499. for the Town Clerk, of which \$25,437. shall be for the salary of the Town Clerk, \$24,712. shall be for other salaries, wages and expenses, and \$350. shall be for out-of-state expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,111,241. for the Police Department, of which \$5,000. shall be transferred from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds available, and those to be received, with the balance of \$1,106,241. raised on the tax levy.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$45,400. for the Ambulance budget, of which \$13,000. shall be transferred from the Ambulance Reserve Account, with the balance of \$32,400. raised on the tax levy.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,776,806. for the School Committee budget, of which \$2,500. shall be for out-of-state expenses.

MOVED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,479. for the Council on Aging budget.

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS MOTION. Votes in affirmative in excess of 50. Votes in negative 11. A standing vote.

MOTION that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,479. for the Council on Aging budget NOT CARRIED. Votes in the affirmative 112. Votes in the negative 120. A standing vote.

VOTED: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$53,979. for the Council on Aging budget.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,087,758. for the Department of Public Works budget, of which \$500. shall be for out-of-state expenses, \$23,551. shall be transferred from available free cash, \$6,200. shall be transferred from the Road Machinery Reserve Account for road machinery maintenance, with the balance of \$1,058,007. raised on the tax levy.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$240,381. for the Parks/Recreation/Community Center budget, of which \$900. shall be for out-of-state expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000. for the Community Celebration budget.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$395,000. for Norfolk County Retirement.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$698,286. for the Water Division, of which \$100. shall be for out-of-state expenses.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$305,740. for the Public Library, of which \$500. shall be for out-of-state travel and \$305,240. shall be for other salaries, wages and expenses, of the amount to be raised \$.50 shall be transferred from the State Aid to Libraries Revenue Account available and \$128.21 shall be transferred from the County Reimbursement Revenue Account available, with the balance of \$305,611.29 to be raised on the tax levy.

VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$390. for the Historical Commission and Historic District Commission budget.

ARTICLE 6. VOTED:

- A. That the Town Clerk cast one ballot for the Trustees of the Dorchester and Surplus Revenue School Fund as follows: Frank M. Savino and Chandler W. Jones.

B. That the Town Clerk cast one ballot for the Trustees of the Edmund H. Talbot fund as follows: William B. Keating, Robert F. Currie, Albert F. Blackler.

C. That the Town Clerk cast one ballot for the Trustees of the Sharon Friends School Fund as follows: James A. Dunn, William B. Keating, William B. Crawford, Frank M. Savino, and Corrine Hershman.

ARTICLE 7. VOTED:

That the town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue under the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within the year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 8. VOTED:

That the funds to be received in the Fiscal Year July 1, 1987 through June 30, 1988 from the State Aid to Public Libraries be transferred to the Public Library Account.

ARTICLE 9. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000. to be used in conjunction with and in addition to any funds allotted or to be allotted by the state or county, or both, for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of town roads, and further to authorize the Selectmen to accept and enter into contracts for the expenditures of appropriated town funds in conjunction with any funds so allotted by the state or county, or both, for the construction and improvements of town roads.

ARTICLE 10. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$23,500. for the purchase of services to perform an annual revenue sharing and financial audit of the Town of Sharon for fiscal year 1987 in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 42, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 11. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,500. to establish a special fund to be paid to the federal government for the employer share of the Medicare costs chargeable to the town.

ARTICLE 13. MOVED:

That action under Article 13 be indefinitely postponed.

MOTION TO AMEND by adding the sentence:

"It is the consensus of the Town Meeting that the Board of Selectmen

expend no further funds or efforts for an evaluation of proposals to transfer or convey this property." NOT CARRIED.

VOTED:

That action under Article 13 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the sale of the Sacred Heart Building on Cedar Street.)

ARTICLE 14. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$670,000. for remodeling, reconstructing and making extraordinary repairs to school buildings, for reconstructing the Senior High School parking area, and for purchase of School Department equipment, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$670,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Votes in the affirmative in excess of 15. Votes in the negative 3. A standing vote.

ARTICLE 15. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$165,000. for remodeling and making extraordinary repairs to the old Department of Public Works garage, for construction and reconstructing sidewalks and for purchasing equipment for the Department of Public Works, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$165,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 16. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$80,000. for constructing, reconstructing, improving and equipping recreational buildings and facilities for the Recreation Department, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$80,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 17. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,000. for the purchase of a new bus for the Sharon Council on Aging, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$40,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Votes in the affirmative in excess of 25. Voted in the negative 4. A standing vote.

ARTICLE 18. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000. for the

purchase of new equipment for the Police Department, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$30,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 19. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$45,000. to make extraordinary repairs to the Library, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$45,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 20. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000. for energy improvements to the Fire Station, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$5,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 21. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$200,000. for the purchase of portable classrooms for the School Department, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$220,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Votes in the affirmative in excess of 80. Voted in the negative 16. A standing vote.

ARTICLE 22. MOVED:

That action under Article 22 be indefinitely postponed.

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS QUESTION. Votes in the affirmative in excess of 15. Votes in the negative 1. A standing vote.

MOTION that action under Article 22 be indefinitely postponed NOT CARRIED. Votes in the affirmative 76. Votes in the negative 148. A standing vote.

MOVED:

That the town authorize the Fire Substation Building Committee to contract for architectural and consulting services for the preparation of working drawings and specifications for the construction of a fire substation on Hampton Road, a more particular description of which appears below, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000. for said purpose and for the expense of said Committee, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$50,000. under provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Parcel of land situated on Hampton Road, being more particularly described as follows:

Being a part of Lot 19, Assessors' Map No. 74, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Hampton Road, said point being the southeasterly corner of the herein described parcel, said point also being the northeasterly corner of Lot 18, Map No. 74; thence running along the northerly line of Lots 18, 17, and 16, all as shown on the aforesaid plan, northwesterly a distance of 256.69 feet to a point; thence northerly and parallel to the westerly sideline of Hampton Road a distance of about 265 feet to a point; thence easterly a distance of about 208 feet to a point in the westerly sideline of Hampton Road; thence with the westerly sideline of Hampton Road, southerly a distance of about 440 feet to the place of beginning.

The above described parcel contains about 71,900 square feet of land (1.65 acres), more or less.

MOVED TO AMEND by adding after - on Hampton Road, a more particular description of which appears below - the words "or a parcel of land received as a gift on Mountain Street."

VOTED THAT THIS MEETING ADJOURN at the conclusion of this Article to reconvene on Thursday, April 23rd at 8:00 P.M. at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium.

MOTION TO AMEND by adding "or a parcel of land received as a gift on Mountain Street NOT CARRIED. Votes in the affirmative 69. Votes in the negative 96. A standing vote.

VOTED:

That the town authorize the Fire Substation Building Committee to contract for architectural and consulting services for the preparation of working drawings and specifications for the construction of a Fire Substation on Hampton Road, a more particular description of which appears below, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000. for said purpose and for the expense of said Committee, and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow the sum of \$50,000. under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Parcel of land situated on Hampton Road, being more particularly described as follows:

Being a part of Lot 19, Assessors' Map No. 74, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Hampton Road, said point also being the southeasterly corner of the herein described parcel, said point also being the northeasterly corner of Lot 18, Map No. 74; thence running along the northerly line of Lots 18, 17, and 16, all as

shown on the aforesaid plan, northwesterly a distance of 256.69 feet to a point; thence northerly and parallel to the westerly sideline of Hampton Road a distance of about 265 feet to a point; thence easterly a distance of about 208 feet to a point in the westerly sideline of Hampton Road; thence with the westerly sideline of Hampton Road, southerly a distance of about 440 feet to the place of beginning.

The above described parcel contains about 71,900 square feet of land (1.65 acres), more or less

Votes in the affirmative 118. Votes in the negative 51. A standing vote.

Attendance 318.

Attest: Shirley S. Davenport
TOWN CLERK

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 22, 1987

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting of April 22, 1987 was adjourned at 11:45 P.M. to reconvene at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium on Pond Street on Thursday, April 23, 1987 at 8:00 P.M. then and there to act on all unfinished business in the Annual Town Warrant of 1987.

Attest: Shirley S. Davenport
TOWN CLERK

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 23, 1987

MOTION TO RECONSIDER Article 22 NOT CARRIED. Votes in the Affirmative 37. Votes in the negative 43. A standing vote.

ARTICLE 23. VOTED:

That action under Article 23 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for acceptance of land on Mountain Street for a fire substation.)

ARTICLE 24. VOTED:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000. for the updating of all property assessments for fiscal 1989 in accordance with Chapter 59, Section 38, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 25. VOTED:

That action under Article 25 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for an appropriation to the Conservation Land Acquisition Account.)

ARTICLE 26. VOTED:

That the town amend Section 28 of Article 10 of the General By-Laws in each of the following respects:

1. By redesignating the existing Section 28 as Section 28A; and
2. By adding at the end thereof the following:

"Section 28-B - No person shall trap wildlife on any land owned by the town or by the town's Conservation Commission unless a written permit shall have been obtained prior to the opening of each trapping season from the Selectmen in the case of land owned by the town or from the Conservation Commission. Such permit must be worn in a visible manner and must be shown on demand to any Sharon Police Officer or to the town's Conservation Officer."

The foregoing amendments to General By-Laws adopted under Articles 26, 30 and 36 of the warrant for the Sharon Annual Town Meeting that convened April 13, 1987, are hereby approved.

JAMES M. SHANNON
Attorney General

ARTICLE 27. VOTED:

That action under Article 27 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for land transfer from the town to the Conservation Commission).

ARTICLE 28. VOTED:

That action under Article 28 be indefinitely postponed. (This article called for a transfer from a Water Surplus Account to repair the town water system.)

ARTICLE 29. VOTED:

That the town:

1. Establish a Government Study Committee composed of seven persons, of whom two members shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen, one member shall be appointed by the Personnel Board, two members shall be appointed by the Warrant Committee, one member shall be appointed by the School Committee, and one member shall be appointed by the Moderator, with vacancies to be filled by the original appointing authority;
2. Authorize said Committee to study the governmental structure of

the town, the duties of the existing town officers, and the advisability, if any, of the consolidation or merger of existing town offices, and to submit its findings and recommendations concerning the foregoing at the next Annual Town Meeting.

3. Raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000. for use by the said Committee.

VOTED TO AMEND by adding at the end of Section 2: "the Committee shall have at least four open meetings for citizens of the town for public input, said open meetings to be publicized." MOVED TO AMEND the pending motion by changing the word "seven" to "eleven" and by inserting before the words - two members shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen, the words: "two members shall be appointed by the Planning Board, two members shall be appointed by the School Committee."

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS AMENDMENT.

MOTION TO AMEND the pending motion by changing the word "seven" to "eleven" and by inserting before the words - two members shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen - the words: "two members shall be appointed by the Planning Board, two members shall be appointed by the School Committee," NOT CARRIED.

VOTED: That the town:

1. Establish a Government Study Committee composed of seven persons, of whom two members shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen, one member shall be appointed by the Personnel Board, two members shall be appointed by the Warrant Committee, one member shall be appointed by the School Committee, and one member shall be appointed by the Moderator, with vacancies to be filled by the original appointing authority;
2. Authorize said Committee to study the governmental structure of the town, the duties of the existing town officers, and the advisability, if any, of the consolidation or merger of existing town offices, and to submit its findings and recommendations concerning the foregoing at the next Annual Town Meeting; the Committee shall have at least four open meetings for citizens of the town public input, said open meetings to be publicized;
3. Raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000. for use by said Committee.

ARTICLE 30. MOVED:

That the town amend Article 11 (Penalties) of the General By-Laws in each of the following respects:

1. By deleting the words and figures "Fifty Dollars (\$50.)," appearing in Section 1 thereof, and by substituting in place thereof the words and figures, "Three Hundred Dollard (\$300.)."

2. By deleting the period at the end of Section 1 and by substituting in place thereof a comma followed by the words "Which shall inure to the town or to such uses as it may direct."

3. By adding the following new section:

"Section 2. Violations of the following By-Laws and the following rules and regulations of any town officer, board or department, the violation of which is subject to a specific penalty, may be disposed of noncriminally pursuant to General Laws Chapter 40, Section 21-D, as the same may from time to time be amended, by the imposition of the fine by the enforcing person, the amount of a fine and the title of the enforcing person each being set forth beside the citation of the By-Law, rule or regulation:

GENERAL BY-LAWS

BY-LAW, RULE OR REGULATION	AMOUNT OF FINE	ENFORCING PERSON
1. ARTICLE 10 SECS. 1-22, 25-30 (MISC. POLICE REGULATION	\$50. for each violation.	Police Department Prosecuting Officer or in the case of land owned by the Conservation Comm., the Conservation Officer.
2. ARTICLE 20 SEC. 23 (Keeping of Junk Auto- mobiles, etc.)	\$20. for each day violation continues	Police Department Prosecuting Officer Building Inspector
3. ARTICLE 10 SEC.31 (Parking areas for disabled persons)	Not exceeding \$15. if paid to the town's Parking Clerk within twenty-one days, \$20. if paid thereafter but be- fore the Parking Clerk re- ports to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, and \$35. if paid thereafter.	Police Department Prosecuting Officer
4. ARTICLE 10 SEC. 32	Not to exceed \$15. if paid to the town's Parking Clerk within twenty-one days, \$20. if paid thereafter but be- fore the Parking Clerk re- ports to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles and \$35. if paid thereafter.	Police Department Prosecuting Officer
5. ARTICLE 12 (Sign By-Law)	\$50. each day violation continues	Building Inspector

6. ARTICLE 12A (Stripping of Earth Materials)	\$50. for the first offense \$100. for second offense \$200. for each subsequent offense	Building Inspector
7. ARTICLE 15 (Snow and Ice Removal)	\$50. for each violation violation	Superintendent of Public Works
8. ARTICLE 16 (Boating)	\$20. for each violation	Police Department Prosecuting Officer
9. ARTICLE 17 (Dogs)	\$25. for violation of S. 6; all other violations: \$10. for first offense, \$15. for second offense, \$25. for each subsequent offense	Dog Officer
10. ARTICLE 20 (Fire Code)	\$50., or after notice \$50. for every day violation continues	Fire Chief
11. ARTICLE 21 (Private Swimming Pools)	\$50. for each violation	Building Inspector
12. ARTICLE 23 (Wetland Protection)	\$50. for each violation	Conservation Officer
13. ARTICLE 24 (Water Restrictions)	\$25. for first offense, \$50. for second offense, \$100. for third offense, \$200. for each subsequent offense	Superintendent of Public Works
14. ARTICLE 26 (Collection, Transportation and Disposal of Solid Waste)	\$50. for first offense, \$100. for second offense \$200. for each subsequent offense	Superintendent of Public Works Building Inspector

MOVED:

To amend the pending motion by striking out the amount of fine stated therein for violation of Article 10. Section 31, and substituting therefor "\$100."

MOTION TO AMEND the motion to amend by striking out "\$100." and inserting in place thereof the words "Maximum amount permitted by Law," CARRIED. Votes in the affirmative 76. Votes in the negative 16. A standing vote.

VOTED TO AMEND the pending motion by striking out the amount of fine stated therein for violation of Article 10, Section 31, and substituting therein "maximum amount permitted by law."

VOTED:

That the town amend Article 11 (Penalties) of the General By-Laws in each of the following respects:

1. By deleting the words and figures "Fifty Dollars (\$50.) appearing in Section 1 thereof, and by substituting in place thereof the words and figures "Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.)."
2. By deleting the period at the end of Section 1 and by substituting in place thereof a comma followed by the words "which shall inure to the town or to such uses as it may direct."
3. By adding the following new section:

"Section 2. Violations of the following By-Laws and the following rules and regulations of any town officer, board or department, the violation of which is subject to a specific penalty, may be disposed of noncriminally pursuant to General Laws Chapter 40, Section 21-D, as the same may from time to time be amended, by the imposition of the fine by the enforcing person, the amount of a fine and the title of the enforcing person each being set forth beside the citation of the By-Law, rule or regulation:

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2. ARTICLE 20 SEC. 23 (Keeping of Junk Auto-mobiles, etc.)	\$20. for each day viola- tion continues	Police Department Prosecuting Officer Building Inspector
3. ARTICLE 10 SEC. 31 (Parking areas for dis-abled persons)	Maximum amount permitted by law	Police Department Prosecuting Officer
4. ARTICLE 10 SEC. 32	Not exceeding \$15. if paid to the town's Parking Clerk within twenty-one days, \$20. if paid thereafter but be- fore the Parking Clerk re- ports to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, and \$35. if paid thereafter	Police Department Prosecuting Officer

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13. ARTICLE 24 (Water Restrictions)	\$25. for first offense, \$50. for second offense, \$100. for third offense, \$200. for each subsequent offense.	Superintendent of Public Works
14. ARTICLE 26 (Col- lection, Transporta- tion and Disposal of Solid Waste)	\$50. for first offense, \$100. for second offense \$200. for each subsequent offense	Superintendent of Public Works Building Inspector

The foregoing amendments to general by-laws adopted under Articles 26, 30 and 36 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting that convened April 13, 1987, are hereby approved.

JAMES M. SHANNON
Attorney General

ARTICLE 31. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town:

1. Acquire by purchase or accept as a gift two parcels of land, described below;

2. Authorize the Selectmen to request the Board of Assessors in writing to abate the tax assessed against the said parcels of land for the balance of the current fiscal year; and
3. Raise and appropriate the sum of \$715.70 with which to pay the tax assessed against the said parcels of land for the period between January 2, 1986 and the date on which the deeds to the town shall be recorded.

The two parcels are described as follows:

Parcel 1 located at 18A Wolomolopoag Street, Sharon, Massachusetts, and being assessed to Royal Hose and Rubber Co., Inc., and described as Lot C, containing 2,042 square feet, more or less, in an instrument recorded in Norfolk County Registry of Deeds, Book 5434, Page 334, and being shown on Assessors' map, Block 63-U-6, or Assessors' map Block 30-21-1;

Parcel 2, located at 72A Furnace Street, Sharon, Massachusetts, and being assessed to Subon Co., and described as Lot 4, containing 4,498 square feet, more or less, in an instrument recorded in the Norfolk Registry District of the Land Court on Certificate No. 103681 being shown on Plan No. 29711C, or Assessors map, Block 30-4-1.

ARTICLE 32. VOTED:

That the town accept an Equal Education Opportunity Grant for the Southeastern Regional School District for fiscal year 1988, under the provisions of General Laws Chapter 70-A, S5, as inserted by Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985, said grant to be expended by the School Committee of said District for direct service expenditures with funds provided solely by the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 33. VOTED:

That the town accept a Professional Development Grant for the fiscal year 1988 for the Southeastern Regional School District teachers pursuant to Chapter 188, S13 of the Acts of 1985, said grant to be apportioned by the School Committee of said District from funding provided solely by the Commonwealth for that purpose.

ARTICLE 34. VOTED:

That the town accept so much of the provisions of the fifth paragraph of Section 1 of Chapter 60A of the General Laws as provides "the excise tax imposed by this section shall not apply to a motor vehicle owned and registered by a former prisoner of war" as defined in the quoted sentence.

ARTICLE 35. VOTED:

That action under Article 35 be indefinitely postponed. (This article called for voluntary check off contribution on tax bills for town scholarship fund.)

ARTICLE 36. VOTED:

That the town amend Article 10 entitled "Police Regulations" of the town's General By-Laws by inserting the following section immediately after Section 32 thereof:

SECTION 33. PARADES, SHOWS, ETC.

- A. No parade, procession, show, exhibition, or amusement shall take place on any public way or place if there is a reasonable likelihood that the free flow of pedestrian or vehicular traffic may be impeded or that the public peace may be disturbed or that any public way or place may be littered, unless the sponsor or sponsors of the parade, procession, show, exhibition, or amusement shall first obtain a written permit from the Chief of the Police Department or from his designee.
- B. This section shall not apply to a funeral procession
- C. Nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the Chief or his designee to censor any show, exhibition, amusement, pamphlet, or literature.
- D. The penalty for violation of this Section shall be as follows: for the first offense, \$50.; for the second offense, \$100.; and for each subsequent offense, \$300.

The foregoing amendments to general by-laws adopted under Articles 26, 30 and 36 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting that convened April 13, 1987, are hereby approved.

JAMES M. SHANNON
Attorney General

ARTICLE 37. VOTED:

That the town discharge with appreciation the Sharon Public Library Addition Committee, said Committee having completed its duties and fulfilled its obligations.

ARTICLE 38. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$80.20 for the purpose of paying advertising bills incurred by the Planning Board due for the fiscal years 1985 and 1986 not previously paid.

ARTICLE 39. MOVED:

That action under Article 39 be indefinitely postponed.

VOTED TO MOVE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

VOTED:

That action under Article 39 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for a "Phased Growth" amendment to the Zoning By-Law.)

ARTICLE 40. VOTED:

That action under Article 40 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for an amendment to the Zoning By-Laws whereby a "Special Permit may be granted to exceed 'Phased Growth'".)

ARTICLE 41. VOTED:

That the town accept and adopt as a public way a portion of Manomet Road from its beginning adjacent to Chase Drive northeasterly a distance of 1,350 feet, more or less, to the terminus as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for legal expenses and recording fees.

ARTICLE 42. VOTED:

That the town accept and adopt as a public way Nauset Road in its entirety, from its beginning adjacent to Manomet Road southwesterly a distance of 1,000 feet, more or less, to the terminus as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for legal expenses and recording fees.

ARTICLE 43. VOTED:

That the town accept and adopt as a public way Mayflower Lane in its entirety, from its beginning adjacent to Bay Road, westerly a distance of 860 feet, more or less, to the terminus as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for legal expenses and recording fees.

ARTICLE 44. MOVED:

That action under Article 44 be indefinitely postponed. NOT CARRIED.

VOTED:

That the town accept and adopt as a public way, Boulder Lane in its entirety from its beginning adjacent to Bay Road, westerly a distance of 700 feet, more or less, to the terminus as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for legal expenses and recording fees.

ARTICLE 45. VOTED:

That action under Article 45 in indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the acceptance of Azalea Road.)

ARTICLE 46. VOTED:

That action under Article 46 be indefinitely postponed. (This article called for the acceptance of Forsythia Circle.)

ARTICLE 47. VOTED:

That action under Article 47 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the acceptance of Heather Way.)

ARTICLE 48. VOTED:

That action under Article 48 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the acceptance of Aspen Road.)

ARTICLE 49. VOTED:

That the town accept and adopt as a public way a portion of Sentry Hill Road from its beginning adjacent to Partridge Hill Road northwesterly a distance of 950 feet to the terminus as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for legal expenses and recording fees.

ARTICLE 50. VOTED:

That action under Article 50 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the acceptance of Nathaniel Guild Road.)

ARTICLE 51. VOTED:

That action under Article 51 be indefinitely postponed. (This Article called for the acceptance of Mink Trap Lane.)

VOTED that the Annual Town Meeting of 1987 be dissolved at 10:31 P.M.

Attendance: 140

ATTEST: SHIRLEY S. DAVENPORT
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING RECAP SHEET FY 1988

ACCOUNT NUMBER	APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT	TOTAL APPROPRIATION	TAX LEVY	FREE CASH	REVENUE SHARING	OTHER AVAILABLE FUNDS				REPORTING AUTHORIZED
						OVERLAY RESERVE	AMBULANCE RESERVE	STATE AID LIBRARIES	COUNTY REDURSE	ROAD MACHINERY
01-114	MODERATOR	60.00	60.00							
01-122	SELECTMEN	125,417.00	125,417.00							
01-131	WARRANT COMMITTEE	4,350.00	4,350.00							
01-132	RESERVE FUND	350,000.00	0-			350,000.00				
91-135	ACCOUNTANT	91,524.00	91,524.00							
01-141	ASSESSORS	95,840.00	95,840.00							
01-145	TREASURER/COLLECTOR	174,268.00	174,268.00							
01-151	LAW	45,500.00	45,500.00							
01-152	PERSONNEL BOARD	2,500.00	2,500.00							
01-155	DATA PROCESSING	73,913.00	73,913.00							
01-161	TOWN CLERK	50,499.00	50,499.00							
01-162	ELECTIONS & REGIST.	45,977.00	45,977.00							
01-171	CONSERVATION COMM.	19,687.00	19,687.00							
01-175	PLANNING BOARD	11,481.00	11,481.00							
01-176	BOARD OF APPEALS	1,800.00	1,800.00							
01-180	DEV/INHS. COMMISSION	50.00	50.00							
01-186	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION	100.00	100.00							
01-195	TOWN REPORT	7,000.00	7,000.00							
01-199	SIGN COMMITTEE	50.00	50.00							
01-210	POLICE	1,111,241.00	1,111,241.00							
01-220	FIRE	646,472.00	646,472.00							
01-231	AMBULANCE	45,400.00	45,400.00		5,000.00		13,000.00			
01-244	SEALER OF WTS. & MEAS.	1,216.00	1,216.00							
01-249	ANIMAL INSPECTOR	1,000.00	1,000.00							
01-291	CIVIL DEFENSE	7,655.00	7,655.00							
01-292	DOG OFFICER	20,024.00	20,024.00							
01-300	EDUCATION	68,337.00	68,337.00							
5300	SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL VOC. SCHOOL									

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ROAD SHEET FY 1988

ACCOUNT NUMBER	APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT	TOTAL APPROPRIATION	TAX LEVY	FREE CASH	REVENUE SHARING	OTHER AVAILABLE FUNDS					BONDING AUTHORIZED
						OVERLAY RESERVE	AMBULANCE RESERVE	STATE AID LIBRARIES	COUNTY EXPENDITURE	ROAD MACHINERY	
ARTICLE 5											
5321	VOCATIONAL TUITION	4,500.00	4,500.00								
01-310	EDUCATION	9,776,806.00	9,776,806.00								
01-401	DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS	1,087,758.00	1,087,758.00	23,551.00						6,200.00	
01-490	STREET LIGHTING	301,790.00	301,790.00								
01-510	HEALTH	131,232.00	131,232.00								
01-541	COUNCIL ON AGING	53,979.00	53,979.00								
01-542	YOUTH COMMISSION	682.00	682.00								
01-543	VETERANS	13,366.00	13,366.00								
01-544	VETERANS GRAVES	750.00	750.00								
01-610	LIBRARY	305,611.29	305,611.29					.50	128.21		
01-630	PARKS/REC/COMM. CENTER	240,381.00	240,381.00								
01-691	HISTORICAL COMMISSION	390.00	390.00								
01-692	COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS	6,000.00	6,000.00								
01-710	MATURING DEBT	565,000.00	565,000.00								
01-751	INTEREST	300,000.00	300,000.00								
01-916	RETIREMENT & PENSIONS	395,000.00	395,000.00								
5177	NORFOLK COUNTY RETIRE.	7,000.00	7,000.00								
5178	VETERANS' PENSIONS	814,761.00	814,761.00								
01-920	INSURANCE	698,286.00	698,286.00								
28-450	WATER DIVISION										
	ARTICLE #5 TOTALS	17,704,782.00	17,306,902.29	23,551.00	5,000.00	350,000.00	13,000.00	.50	128.21	6,200.00	
ARTICLE 9	TOWN ROADS	13,000.00	13,000.00								
ARTICLE 10	AUDIT	23,500.00	23,500.00								

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING RECAP SHEET FY 1988

ARTICLE NUMBER	APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT	TOTAL APPROPRIATION	TAX LEVY	FREE CASH	REVENUE SHARING	OTHER AVAILABLE FUNDS					BORROWING AUTHORIZED
						OVERLAY RESERVE	AMBULANCE RESERVE	STATE AID LIBRARIES	COUNTY REIMBURSE	ROAD MACHINERY	
11	MEDICARE	7,500.00	7,500.00								670,000.00
14	SCHOOL DEPT. PROJECTS	670,000.00									165,000.00
15	DPW FACILITIES Street Cleaner	165,000.00									
16	RECREATION DEPT.	80,000.00									80,000.00
17	C.O.A. BUS	40,000.00									40,000.00
18	POLICE DEPT.	30,000.00									30,000.00
19	LIBRARY	45,000.00									45,000.00
20	FIRE	5,000.00									5,000.00
21	SCHOOL - Portable Classrooms	220,000.00									220,000.00
22	FIRE SUB-STATION Architectural	50,000.00									50,000.00
24	PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS Update	50,000.00	50,000.00								
29	GOVERNMENT STUDY COMM.	1,000.00	1,000.00								
31	PAY TAXES ON GIFT	715.70	715.70								

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ROAD SHEET FY 1988

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						OVERLAY RESERVE	AMBULANCE RESERVE	STATE AID LIBRARIES	COUNTY REIMBURSE	ROAD MAINTENANCE	
38	OLD BILLS	80.20	80.20								
41	MANOMET ROAD	250.00	250.00								
42	NAUSET ROAD	250.00	250.00								
43	WAYFLOWER LANE	250.00	250.00								
44	BOULDER LANE	250.00	250.00								
49	SENTRY HILL ROAD	250.00	250.00								
	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS INCLUDING BORROWING	19,106,827.90	17,403,948.19	23,551.00	5,000.00	350,000.00	13,000.00	.50	128.21	6,200.00	1,305,000.00
	MINUS BORROWING	-1,305,000.00									
	TOTAL NET RAISED	17,801,827.90									

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

December 7, 1987

Pursuant to the provisions of the Warrant of October 29, 1987, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in town affairs met at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium at 8:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator George E. Donovan. Town Clerk Shirley S. Davenport read the call and return of the Warrant.

Moderator George Donovan announced that Town Counsel Manuel Katz was unable to be at this Special Town Meeting. Selectmen requested that George Donovan act as Town Counsel for this Special Town Meeting.

VOTED: That Joel Goober be appointed Acting Moderator for this Special Town Meeting.

Acting Moderator Joel Goober requested that John Bowman, Robert Daylor, and William Beck, non-voters, be allowed to address this meeting. There were no objections.

ARTICLE 1. MOVED:

1. That the lot described below, together with any buildings or structures thereon, be transferred from library, police, municipal office or other purposes to the purpose of a sale; and
2. That the Selectmen be, and they hereby are, authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement for the sale of said lot, buildings and structures and to convey the same.

DESCRIPTION

Parcel F on a Plan entitled "Plot Plan of Sacred Heart Property, Sharon, Mass." dated June, 1973, by the Sharon Engineering Department, which Plan is recorded as Plan No. 1102 of 1974 in Plan Book 247, bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHERLY: By Cedar Street, three hundred (300±) feet, more or less;

WESTERLY: By Parcel A by two courses, two hundred twenty-seven (227±) feet, more or less; and one hundred fifty-five (155±) feet, more or less, respectively;

NORTHERLY: By Parcel A, two hundred fifty-five (255±) feet, more or less, and

EASTERLY: By Parcel A, two hundred seventy-five (275±) feet, more or less.

Containing 2.2 acres, more or less.

ADJOURNED SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

December 8, 1987

ARTICLE 2. VOTED:

That the town appropriate the sum of \$101,712. for unanticipated School Department expenses, including Special Education Tuition and personnel costs, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$101,712. shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

ARTICLE 3. VOTED:

That the town:

1. Establish a committee to be known as the Intermediate and Wilbur School Reutilization Study Committee to be made up of seven (7) members, two (2) members to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen, two (2) members to be appointed by the Warrant Committee, one (1) member to be appointed by the Capital Outlay Committee, one (1) member to be appointed by the Planning Board, and one (1) member to be appointed by the School Committee, with vacancies to be filled by the original appointing authority.
2. Charge said Committee with studying the potential reuse(s) of the Intermediate and Wilbur School for municipal office, commercial, housing, education, recreational, or for other purposes and reporting its preliminary findings concerning same to the 1988 Annual Town Meeting.
3. Raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000. for use by said Committee for architectural, engineering, environmental assessment, marketing, planning or other studies and for committee expenses, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$15,000. shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.
4. Authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the town to apply for, contract for, and expend any grants of financial assistance for said building reuse feasibility studies, building improvements or for related purposes, which may be available from either or both federal and state departments or agencies.

ARTICLE 4. MOVED:

That the town:

- A. Ratify the following interim and/or emergency changes, additions or deletions to or from the Classification and Pay Plans, which changes, additions or deletions were adopted by the Personnel Board in accordance with its authority under Section 2-6 (f) of the Personnel By-Law subsequent to the most recent Annual Town Meeting:

NOT CARRIED.

VOTE TO RECONSIDER ARTICLE 1. Votes in the affirmative 172. Votes in the negative 128. A standing vote.

PREVIOUS QUESTION MOVED AND NOT CARRIED.

VOTE TO MOVE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

MOTION:

1. That the lot described below, together with any buildings or structures thereon, be transferred from library, police, municipal office or other purposes to the purpose of a sale; and
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WESTERLY: By Parcel A by two courses, two hundred twenty-seven (227±) feet, more or less; and one hundred fifty-five (155±) feet, more or less, respectively;

NORTHERLY By Parcel A, two hundred fifty-five (255±) feet, more or less, and

EASTERLY: By Parcel A, two hundred seventy-five (275±) feet, more or less.

Containing 2.2 acres, more or less.

For the town's title see deed of The Order of Brothers of the Sacred Heart of New England, Inc. to the Town of Sharon dated December 26, 19 recorded in Book 5099, page 168, NOT CARRIED. Votes in the affirmative 186. Votes in the negative 126. A standing vote. (2/3 vote needed to carry.)

VOTED TO ADJOURN at 11:05 P.M. to reconvene at the Arthur E. Collins Auditorium on Pond Street on Tuesday, December 8, 1987, at 8:00 P.M., then and there to act on all unfinished business in the Special Town Warrant of December 7, 1987.

ATTEST: SHIRLEY S. DAVENPORT
Town Clerk

1. By changing the Office Occupation Classification Section 1.400 of the positions of Election/Registration Secretary and EDP Operator-Treasurer from Group III to Group II, with the consequence that their pay schedule/hourly (Section 2.400) shall be as follows:

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Group II	7.52	8.04	8.62	9.21

2. By changing the Office Occupation Classification Section 1.400 of the position of Secretary/Fire Department from Group IV to Group III, with the consequence that his/her pay schedule/hourly (Section 2.400) shall be as follows:

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Group III	6.79	7.29	7.79	8.33

3. By deleting from the Recreation and Library Classifications and titles and pay schedules of the Community Center Custodian and Custodial Maintenance, respectively, and by substituting in place thereof the following new titles and pay schedules:

TITLE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
	July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987				
Library, Comm. Cntr. Cust./Cust. Maint.	6.33	6.73	7.16	7.60	8.01
Grade I	July 1, 1987 - June 30, 1988				
	6.64	7.07	7.52	7.99	8.40
	July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987				
Library, Comm. Cntr. Grade II	5.75	6.12	6.51	6.91	7.28
	July 1, 1987 - June 30, 1988				
	6.04	6.43	6.84	7.26	7.64

- B. Determine (1) the EDP Operator-Treasurer position classification change from Group III to Group II and associated pay schedule as set forth in A-1 above of this motion to be in effect as of March 23, 1987; and (2) the new position title Library and Community Center Custodian and Custodial Maintenance, Grade I, and associated pay schedule as set forth in A-3 above of this motion to be in effect as of May 18, 1987.

VOTED TO AMEND ARTICLE 4 BY ADDING:

Appropriate the sum of \$3,736.70 for such of those FY-88 additional salaries, wages and supplementary benefits as shall be paid retroactively,

of which \$2,662.50 shall be for the EDP Operator-Treasurer positions, and \$1,074.20 shall be for the Secretary/Fire Department, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$3,736.70 shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

Votes in the affirmative 52. Votes in the negative 18. A standing vote.

VOTED:

That the town:

- A. Ratify the following interim and/or emergency changes, additions or deletions to or from the Classification and Pay Plans, which changes, additions or deletions were adopted by the Personnel Board in accordance with its authority under Section 2/6 (f) of the Personnel By-Law subsequent to the most recent Annual Town Meeting:

1. By changing the Office Occupation Classification Section 1.400 of the positions of Election/Registration Secretary and EDP Operator - Treasurer from Group III to Group II, with the consequence that their pay schedule/hourly (Section 2.400) shall be as follows:

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Group II	7.52	8.04	8.62	9.21

2. By changing the Office Occupation Classification Section 1.400 of the position of Secretary/Fire Department from Group IV to Group II with the consequence that his/her pay schedule/hourly (Section 2.400) shall be as follows:

CODE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Group III	6.79	7.29	7.79	8.33

3. By deleting from the Recreation and Library Classifications and titles and pay schedules of the Community Center Custodian and Custodial Maintenance, respectively, and by substituting in place thereof the following new titles and pay schedules:

July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987					
TITLE	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5
Library and Comm. Cntr. Custodian and Cust. Maint	6.33	6.73	7.16	7.60	8.01
GRADE I	6.64	7.07	7.52	7.99	8.40
July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987					
Library and Comm. Cntr.	5.75	6.12	6.51	6.91	7.28
GRADE II	6.04	6.43	6.84	7.26	7.64

- B. Determine (1) the EDP Operator-Treasurer position classification change from Group III to Group II and associated pay schedule as set forth in A-1 above of this motion to be in effect as of March 23, 1987; and (2) the new position title Library and Community Center Custodian and Custodial Maintenance, Grade I, and associated pay schedule as set forth in A-3 above of this motion to be in effect as of May 18, 1987.

Appropriate the sum of \$3,736.70 for such of those FY-88 additional salaries, wages and supplementary benefits as shall be paid retroactively, of which \$2,662.50 shall be for the EDP Operator-Treasurer positions, and \$1,074.20 shall be for the Secretary/Fire Department, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$3,736.70 shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

ARTICLE 4. VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:

That the town appropriate the sum of \$742.39 for such of those additional Fiscal Year 1986-1987 salaries, wages and supplementary benefits as shall be paid retroactively, of which \$631.13 shall be for the EDP Operator-Treasurer position, and \$111.36 shall be for the Library and Community Center and Custodial Maintenance, Grade I position, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$742.39 shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

ARTICLE 5. VOTED:

That the town amend Sections 1 and 4 of Article 1 of the General By-Laws by substituting the month of May for the month of April in those sections and designating Tuesday in the place of Monday as the day of town election so that the Sections read as follows:

SECTION 1. The Annual Meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Tuesday in May, unless the Board of Selectmen, before February 1 in any year, shall have designated the second Tuesday in May, for such election in that year.

SECTION 4. All business of the Annual Town Meeting (except the election of officers, and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot), shall be considered at an adjournment thereof, which adjournment shall be made to the Monday of May next following the election, at eight o'clock P.M.

The foregoing amendments to general by-laws adopted under Article 5 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting that convened December 7, 1987, are hereby approved.

JAMES SHANNON
Attorney General

ARTICLE 6. VOTED:

That the town amend Section 2 of Article II of the General By-Laws (listing for various By-Laws the amount of the fine and the enforcing person) by amending the amount of the fine for Article 10, Section 31, (Parking areas for disabled persons), by deleting the words "Maximum amount permitted by law," and by substituting in place thereof the following: "Not exceeding \$15. if paid to the town's Parking Clerk within twenty-one days, \$20. if paid thereafter but before the Parking Clerk reports to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, and \$35. if paid thereafter."

The foregoing amendment to general by-laws under Article 6 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting that convened December 7, 1987, is hereby approved.

JAMES M. SHANNON
Attorney General

ARTICLE 7. MOVED:

That the town establish a Committee to be known as the Sharon School Building Committee, to be made up of five members as follows: one member from the Sharon School Committee to be chosen by that Committee, and four members to be chosen by the Moderator, with vacancies to be filled by vote of the remaining members of the Committee, said Committee to be established for the purpose of determining the extent of necessary school facilities, and the preparing of working drawings and specifications for a school building, and/or additions and renovations to existing buildings, and to contract for architectural, engineering, and consultant services, and that the sum of \$10,000. be raised and appropriated for these purposes and the Committee's expenses, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$10,000. shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

MOTION TO AMEND:

Insert after "necessary school facilities" and investigating all possible methods and alternatives available in acquiring such facilities; a report of the status of said Committee and its recommendations and progress to be given at the May 1988 Town Meeting at which time any monies necessary for further architectural, engineering and/or consulting services may be requested. NOT CARRIED.

VOTED:

That the town establish a Committee to be known as the Sharon School Building Committee, to be made up of five members as follows: one member from the Sharon School Committee to be chosen by that Committee, and four members to be chosen by the Moderator, with vacancies to be filled by vote of the remaining members of the Committee, said Committee to be established for the purpose of determining the extent of necessary school facilities, and the preparing of working drawings and specifications for a school building, and/or additions and renovations to existing buildings, and to contract for architectural, engineering, and consultant services,

and that the sum of \$10,000. be raised and appropriated for these purposes and the Committee's expenses, and in order to meet this appropriation the sum of \$10,000. shall be transferred from the Norfolk County Retirement Account.

VOTED: That the Special Town Meeting of December 7, 1987 be dissolved at 9:37 P.M.

Attendance: 107

ATTEST: SHIRLEY S. DAVENPORT
Town Clerk

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Colleen M. Tuck, Chairman
Michael L. Cook, Clerk
Norman Katz

Benjamin E. Puritz, Executive Secretary
Edward F. Connelly, Assistant Executive Secretary
Marilyn J. Sloggett, Administrative Secretary
Jo-Ann MacInnis, Part Time Secretary

In April, Norman Katz was reelected to the Board of Selectmen, Colleen M. Tuck was voted Chairman, and Michael L. Cook as Clerk of the Board.

Notable events and activities which occurred in 1987 included:

Sharon was recognized as a "Tree City USA" by the National Arbor Day Foundation. The Sharon Shade Tree Committee and its president, Linda Badoian, were instrumental in this recognition for the town.

The reconstruction of Post Office Square was substantially completed by December, 1987, including traffic signals, a mini-park and streetside trees. Also completed were roadway safety improvement projects at the intersections of East Foxboro and Gunhouse Streets, Walpole and South Main Streets, and Route 1 and Old Post Road.

In 1987 work continued on improving the parking situation around Post Office Square. While a total of ten on-street spaces were lost by the redesign of the square, thirty-five spaces were added because of improvements to three other lots. The town executed a twenty year lease for a parcel of land privately owned and combined that land with town holdings to create a parking lot behind the Post Office Square businesses. The \$25,000. cost of the lot was creatively financed, with the commercial property owners who will rely on the lot paying half of the cost, and the town paying the other half. In addition, the town signed a ten year lease with the First Baptist Church on South Main Street. Under this lease the town resurfaced and restriped the church lots on Pond Street and South Main Street in exchange for the right to use these properties as town parking lots for the next ten years.

The Moosehill Wildlife Sanctuary was expanded by 693 acres when the Kendall family sold part of its holdings in town, (for a price well below its market value), to the Massachusetts Audubon Society. One of the terms of the sale guarantees that the land will be forever preserved as conservation land. This sale more than doubled the size of the sanctuary.

At the special town meeting in early December, the town voted not to sell the Sacred Heart dormitory building to Crosswhite Properties, who had intended to renovate the building and turn it into twenty-one condominiums. Although a clear majority was in favor of the sale, a two-thirds majority was necessary to complete the sale. The vote failed by only twenty-two votes. In order to protect the structural integrity of the building and to prevent asbestos, which lines all the walls, ceilings

and floors of the building, from escaping into the atmosphere, the town has boarded up the broken windows on the second and third floors with plywood. The future of the building remains uncertain.

In November, the town hosted an employee development day at the Community Center. Town employees were instructed on time management, team building, and stress management. The project was considered a success by all who attended, and there are plans to continue with this form of in-house training.

Town employees continued to benefit from expressing their ideas on improving the workplace as the second year of the Employee Suggestion Award Program came to an end. Eight suggestions were acted upon by the Employee Suggestion Committee, resulting in a total of five grants of extra vacation time totaling eight extra days off.

The Fire Sub-station Committee used the \$50,000. appropriated at last year's annual town meeting for architectural and engineering studies necessary to design a new sub-station. The plans are completed and will be presented to the town at the May, 1988 annual town meeting.

The Government Study Committee, which was established at last year's annual town meeting, continues to work toward its mission of reporting on the best future course for town government. The Committee has digested comments from the public and input from town officials and is right on schedule.

A committee was appointed at the December special town meeting to study the future uses of the Intermediate (Wilbur) School. The Committee is expected to present a preliminary report to the 1988 annual town meeting.

1987 also saw the town address several other issues related to the environment. At the April town meeting the town voted against reactivating the town landfill for residential use. The town also responded to DEQE's request to improve the material cover of the landfill so that less water could penetrate into the fill below. As the year ended the town filed a formal response to DEQE's formal notification. This response included plans to improve the landfill cover by the end of 1989. The town also learned that the SEMASS resource recovery plant was ahead of its construction schedule and will begin accepting refuse in late 1988 or early 1989.

Phase Two of the Clean Lakes Project, funded by a \$23,000. DEQE Clean Lakes Grant and \$10,000. town financing, was also completed in 1987. In Phase Two, Metcalf and Eddy, a nationwide engineering consulting firm, studied the effects of the Mountain Street landfill on Lake Massapoag. Metcalf and Eddy reported that the landfill was not adversely affecting the lake. Metcalf and Eddy's final report specifically stated that "no significant impacts on Lake Massapoag due to toxics, nutrients, iron, and other parameters were found." As 1987 closed, the town was negotiating with several firms on conducting Phase Three of the Clean Lakes Grant Program. The firm selected will prepare an engineering study, grant funded, for sewerage the property around the lake and for enhancing the

wetlands surrounding the lake.

As the year closed, the town was putting the final touches on an agreement with Cablevision to provide for a video hookup which will enable surveillance of the train station from the police station. Cablevision will provide the hookup, free of charge for up to ten years, in exchange for being able to close its Sharon office, which is underutilized. All complaints and service calls will be handled by Cablevision's Foxborough office through a toll free number.

TOWN CLERK

Shirley S. Davenport, Town Clerk
Lillian B. Schlafman, Assistant Clerk
Carolyn R. Enbinder, Secretary

VITAL STATISTICS

	1987	1986	1985	1984
BIRTHS RECORDED				
Male	97	103	110	86
Female	86	109	95	77
Total	183	212	205	163
MARRIAGES RECORDED:	83	95	89	87
DEATHS RECORDED:				
Male	51	85	75	71
Female	43	50	81	65
Total	94	135	156	136

VOTER REGISTRATION

Registrars: Shirley S. Davenport, William B. Keating
Coleridge Jemmott, William B. Crawford

Precinct	Democrats	Republicans	Independent	Total
1	808	208	886	1,902
2	915	142	1,307	2,364
3	985	159	1,384	2,528
4	671	190	939	1,800
TOTALS	3,379	699	4,516	8,594

ACCOUNTANT

Joan M. Leighton, Town Accountant
 Lois D. Dowd, Assistant Accountant
 Eileen M. Generazzo, Accounting Secretary

A report of cash receipts and expenditures for the twelve month period ending June 30, 1987 with the statements of the town's outstanding indebtedness.

TAXES	RECEIPTS	
Motor Vehicles	818,834.08	
Boat Excise	75.00	
Occupancy Excise	56,598.00	
Personal Property	309,578.72	
Real Estate	14,488,477.02	
Tax Title Redemption	67,760.54	
Deferred Taxes Real	1,579.20	
TOTAL TAXES		15,742,872.56
STATE		
*Highway Reimbursement and Transit CH. 825	43,200.00	
*Highway Fund CH. 81	70,172.00	
*Loss of Taxes, State Owned Land CG. 58	61,624.00	
*Veterans' Benefits CH. 115	18,111.65	
*Elderly Persons Exemt. CL. 41 CH. 967	14,372.26	
*Lottery, Beano, etc. CH. 29	331,578.00	
*Local Aid Add'l. Assist.	1,287,870.00	
*Blind Persons CL. 37	1,575.00	
TOTAL STATE		1,828,502.91
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING		
Revenue Sharing	57,818.65	
TOTAL REVENUE SHARING		57,818.65
EDUCATION		
*School Construction	33,037.20	
*School Lunch	291,346.75	
Athletic	20,097.14	
*Metco	246,271.12	
Title I ESEA	23,987.00	
*Transportation CH. 71	185,980.00	
*Special Ed Rec. CH. 71B	4,675.00	
*School Aid CH. 70	1,718,571.00	
Adult Education	7,002.00	

Summer School	33,214.80	
School Rental	8,324.00	
School Improvement	27,020.00	
Vocational Education	10,122.00	
Skillful Teachers	13,250.00	
Early Childhood Education	21,875.00	
Clinical Services	49,152.00	
ECIA Chapter 2	9,007.00	
Spec. Ed. Handicapped Title VIB	11,106.80	
Project Reach	82,162.00	
Stress and Burnout	967.00	
Drug Grant	1,366.00	
Horace Mann Grant	21,036.00	
Gifted and Talented	7,866.00	
Teachers Writing	1,600.00	
Project Reach	5,750.00	
Ed. Grant Prof. Development	163,426.00	
*Assessment Reduction	8,826.00	
School Donation	1,696.80	
Other	418.67	
TOTAL EDUCATION		3,009,153.28
LIBRARY		
Fines	5,136.35	
Lost Books	491.06	
*State Aid	6,800.50	
County Dog	113.20	
*Additional Aid	3,943.00	
Municipal Equalization Grant	5,104.80	
TOTAL LIBRARY		21,588.91
GENERAL GOVERNMENT		
Selectmen	7,248.50	
Treasurer	33,388.89	
Assessors	128.90	
Town Clerk	11,452.89	
Health	12,280.00	
Board of Appeals	15,193.25	
Planning Board	5,400.00	
Police	10,072.93	
Court Fines	55,569.00	
Fire	5,125.00	
Engineering	27,251.21	
Conservation	5,915.60	
Sealer of Weights	298.20	
Building Inspector	93,058.15	
Parking Fines	4,830.00	
*Police Career Incentive	30,637.00	
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT		317,849.52
COUNCIL ON AGING		
DEA St. Grant Local Prog. Elderly	3,464.00	
DEA St. Grant Local Prog. Elderly	7,000.00	
TOTAL COUNCIL ON AGING		10,464.00

RECREATION		
Beach Tags and Stickers	30,873.50	
Other	60,698.65	
TOTAL RECREATION		91,572.15
PUBLIC WATER SERVICE		
Water Rates A/R	665,492.94	
Liens A/R	45,757.86	
Other	50,041.39	
TOTAL PUBLIC WATER SERVICE		761,292.19
INTEREST		
On Deposit .	140,853.94	
Taxes	79,614.58	
Griffith Fund	11.89	
Library Funds	976.33	
Cemetery Fund	13,852.39	
School Income Account	1,591.88	
Tax Title Redemption	58,051.97	
Premium on Tax Anticipation Notes	6,434.22	
Committed Interest	39.25	
TOTAL INTEREST		301,426.45
AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT		
State Taxes Withheld	496,846.79	
County Retirement	226,118.60	
Federal Taxes Withheld	1,521,495.21	
Medicare	7,208.89	
Blue Cross	350,541.12	
Group Insurance	4,186.86	
Teacher Insurance	14,026.96	
Mass. Teachers Retirement	327,859.89	
Teachers Annuities	242,801.85	
Teachers Association	39,219.10	
Mass. Teachers Credit Union	22,390.50	
Custodial Dues	8,850.55	
Police Union	3,509.04	
Optional Insurance	5,680.30	
Dog Licenses	3,691.00	
Firefighters Dues	4,800.00	
Clerical Dues	3,500.36	
Fish and Game Licenses	4,349.75	
TOTAL AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT		3,287,076.77
REVENUE INVESTMENT, TRANSFERS AND BORROWING		
Tax Anticipation	3,000,000.00	
Temporary Borrowing	2,960,000.00	
Authorized Loans	1,340,000.00	
TOTAL REVENUE INVESTMENT		
TRANSFERS AND BORROWING		7,300,000.00
REFUNDS		
School	14,174.06	

Refunds Petty Cash	700.00	
Other	7,118.98	
TOTAL REFUNDS		21,993.04

OTHER GENERAL REVENUE		
Life Insurance Dividends	2,869.00	
Arts Lottery Council	3,660.00	
Police Surcharge A/R	7,988.17	
Police Off Duty A/R	96,487.63	
School Off Duty A/R	29,234.70	
School Off Duty Surcharge	1,713.75	
Ambulance A/R	20,053.53	
EMT Off Duty	285.70	
EMT Off Duty Surcharge	28.57	
South Norfolk Elderly Services	89,100.00	
Transportation Bond Issue Hgwy. Grant	83,798.00	
In Lieu of Taxes	1,326.96	
Census Reimbursement	4,812.72	
Surplus Revenue	132.64	
Reimbursement to Extend Polling Hrs.	1,062.00	
Proforma Tax	200.00	
DEQE Clean Lakes	10,752.01	
Insurance Covered Work Injury	12,510.06	
Tailings	6,423.05	
Suicide Prevention	3,766.64	
Cablevision	1,604.00	
Police Auction	233.00	
TOTAL OTHER GENERAL REVENUE		378,042.13

TOTAL RECEIPTS		33,129,652.56
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CASH EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987

ACCOUNT	SALARIES	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL
GENERAL ACCOUNTS			
Moderator	60.00		60.00
Prepaid Vacation	6,227.95		6,227.95
Selectmen (Seg. Salary)	1,175.00		
	77,077.82	11,556.14	89,808.96
Hurricane Gloria	376.61	56,057.49	56,434.10
Sharon Arts Council		3,398.40	3,398.40
Computer Purchase	2,003.21	32,100.74	34,103.95
Accountant	69,201.17	6,335.83	75,537.00
Accountant Enc.	9,560.95		9,560.95
Annual Audit		15,189.87	15,189.87
Treas/Coll. (Seg. Sal.)	34,609.33		
	75,708.12	41,033.55	151,351.00
Treasurers Enc.	226.75	1,398.25	1,625.00
Data Processing	23,248.98	43,647.02	66,896.00
Data Processing Equip.		15,000.00	15,000.00
Assessors (Seg. Sal.)	6,624.00		
	63,121.40	17,105.30	86,850.70
Assessors Enc.		10,382.11	10,382.11
Assessors Mapping Enc.		1,050.00	1,050.00
Warrant Committee		1,616.75	1,616.75
Town Clerk (Seg. Sal.)	23,773.20		
	20,491.66	3,045.40	47,310.26
Law		56,819.26	56,819.26
Election/Registration	17,217.85	29,828.97	47,046.82
Elect/Regis. Enc.		92.88	92.88
State Census		3,657.30	3,657.30
Election Reimb.		1,062.00	1,062.00
Voting Equipment		30,000.00	30,000.00
Planning Board	2,858.76	12,386.89	15,245.65
Personnel Board	1,798.92	406.68	2,205.60
Sign Committee		38.50	38.50
Board of Appeals		2,491.35	2,491.35
Unemployment Fund		10,308.08	10,308.08
Historical Dist. Comm.		45.00	45.00
Revenue Sharing-Police	102,000.00		102,000.00
Police	760,317.29	132,198.34	892,515.63
Police Enc.	9,562.60	35,827.40	45,390.00
Police Off Duty Work	101,395.68		101,395.68
Police New Equipment		10,789.85	10,789.85
Police Medical Bills		2,545.40	2,545.40
Suicide Prevention		3,766.64	3,766.64
Fire	572,752.90	39,947.05	612,699.95
Fire Off Duty Work	287.25		287.25
Fire Dept. Equipment		8,337.00	8,337.00
Fire Equip. Borrowing		156.05	156.05
Fire Sub-Station		511.60	511.60

ACCOUNT	SALARIES	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL
Hazardous Waste		5,000.00	5,000.00
Ambulance	37,411.19	929.81	38,341.00
Ambulance Equipment		517.50	517.50
Sealer of Weights	1,148.04	67.96	1,216.00
Dog Officer	14,735.03	5,103.71	19,838.74
Civil Defense		6,413.54	6,413.54
Health	26,065.23	78,677.47	104,742.70
Health Enc.		1,803.12	1,803.12
Animal Inspector	1,000.00		1,000.00
Water Department	234,677.66	347,719.94	582,397.60
Water Master Plan		22,836.56	22,836.56
Water Corrosion Cont.		153,710.85	153,710.85
Design Corrosion Con.		76,008.92	76,008.92
Dept. of Public Works	635,557.96	476,730.25	1,112,288.21
DPW Enc.		89,828.11	89,828.11
Transportation Bond Is.		1,200.00	1,200.00
Chapter 811 - FY '86		10,540.38	10,540.38
Town Office Energy Cons.		2,635.96	2,635.96
DPW New Equipment		5,904.81	5,904.81
Road Construction		467.25	467.25
DPW Equipment		4,583.22	4,583.22
Sacred Heart Build.		188.94	188.94
Dry Pond Drainage		11,718.86	11,718.86
Drain. Cons. 17-84		55,337.07	55,337.07
Drain. Pond Street		4,013.76	4,013.76
Street Lighting		257,422.40	257,422.40
Veterans	6,457.54	3,211.85	9,669.39
School	6,793,553.42	1,875,207.38	8,668,760.80
School Enc.	339,468.25		339,468.25
School Off Duty Work	35,572.04		35,572.04
Occupational Ed.		2,270.81	2,270.81
Low Income Title I	21,091.16		21,091.16
Title I Enc.	3,988.95		3,988.95
Summer Rec. Program		1,834.38	1,834.38
Early Child. Title VI		14,000.00	14,000.00
Early Child 94-142		975.00	975.00
Early Child M/E		361.43	361.43
Vocational Ed. Acts		7,977.95	7,977.95
Vocational Tuition		3,100.00	3,100.00
School Lunch	130,490.78	119,389.14	249,879.92
Summer School	19,870.50	2,889.09	22,759.59
School Athletic Fund		15,665.97	15,665.97
Adult Education	6,746.92	115.00	6,861.92
Computer Camp		798.42	798.42
Metco	128,714.40	135,324.18	264,038.58
Metco Enc.	11,682.20		11,682.20
Magnet School FY '86		5,936.00	5,936.00
Southeastern Reg. Sch.		41,752.00	41,752.00
Project Reach	19,100.40	26,069.88	45,170.28
Project Goal	20,391.00	559.00	20,950.00
Project Peach		5,750.00	5,750.00
Project Health	200.00	4,556.30	4,756.30

ACCOUNT	SALARIES	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL
Title II Plan. Grant		379.85	379.85
E.C.I.A. FY '85		32.17	32.17
E.C.I.A. FY '86		1,602.30	1,602.30
E.C.I.A. FY '87	1,044.76	5,534.74	6,579.50
Clinical Services	28,092.64	15,489.17	43,581.81
Boston Edison Grant		543.20	543.20
Nutrition Grant		495.78	495.78
Gifted and Talented	100.00	6,523.65	6,623.65
Author's Writing Grant		1,339.80	1,339.80
Professional Develop.	142,389.66		142,389.66
Stress and Burnout		967.00	967.00
Recon. Remodel Schools	1,100.02	248,853.95	249,953.97
School Improv. Council		17,742.69	17,742.69
Classroom Assessment		5,800.00	5,800.00
School New Equipment		134,718.94	134,718.94
Remodel School Build.	2,425.59	526,249.00	528,674.59
Classroom Computer		3,255.45	3,255.45
Library	188,095.54	98,252.40	286,347.94
Library Enc.		2,219.93	2,219.93
Library Computer 85		19,606.82	19,606.82
Library Computer		15,438.00	15,438.11
Parks and Recreation	156,215.68	71,843.61	228,059.29
Improv. Rec. Facilities	3,178.28	18,708.84	21,887.12
Comm. Cntr, Bld. Improv.		589.52	589.52
Recreation Equipment		47.87	47.87
Recreation New Equip.		3,117.50	3,117.50
Lake Massapoag Improv.		9,900.00	9,900.00
DEQE Clean Lakes		10,752.01	10,752.01
Council on Aging	17,270.57	11,968.54	29,239.11
C.O.A. Enc.		455.13	455.13
C.O.A. Disc. Grant	4,000.00		4,000.00
D.E.A. Formula Grant 86	1,505.00		1,505.00
D.E.A. Formula Grant 87	1,057.50		1,057.50
Town Report	368.69	6,347.80	6,716.49
Community Celebration		4,800.00	4,800.00
Insurance		719,287.56	719,287.56
Insurance-Job Related Inj.		12,129.63	12,129.63
Insurance-Job Related Inj.		150.87	150.87
Conservation Comm.	11,342.80	5,356.47	16,699.27
Conservation Land Acquis.		3,060.00	3,060.00
Veterans Graves		525.00	525.00
Interest		307,077.54	307,077.54
Debt		380,000.00	380,000.00
TOTAL GENERAL ACCTS.	11,027,786.80	7,198,400.10	18,226,186.90

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT

Petty Cash Advances	700.00	700.00
Air Pollution	2,736.00	2,736.00
M.B.T.A.	305,252.00	305,252.00

ACCOUNT	SALARIES	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL
State Motor Vehicle		2,112.00	2,112.00
Metropolitan Area Plan.		2,467.00	2,467.00
County Tax		153,759.23	153,759.23
Mosquito Control		10,078.00	10,078.00
Sec. Dep.-Pheasant Wood		3,600.00	3,600.00
Norfolk Cnty. Retirement		393,639.00	393,639.00
Veterans Service Pen.		87.91	87.91
Licenses-Fish and Game		4,349.75	4,349.75
Dog Licenses		2,560.00	2,560.00
Tailings		80.30	80.30
Federal Taxes		1,521,495.21	1,521,495.21
State Taxes		496,846.79	496,846.79
Medicare Withheld		7,300.90	7,300.90
Group Life Ins.		3,938.89	3,938.89
County Retirement		227,989.30	227,989.30
Teachers Insurance		14,162.96	14,162.96
Emp. Health Ins.		344,263.74	344,263.74
Tax Sheltered Annuity		239,622.44	239,622.44
Teachers Dues		39,219.10	39,219.10
Custodian Dues		8,850.55	8,850.55
Firefighters Dues		4,800.00	4,800.00
Mass. Teachers Retire.		323,599.88	323,599.88
Emp. Optional Ins.		5,797.50	5,797.50
Clerical Dues		3,500.36	3,500.36
Police Dues		3,509.04	3,509.04
MTA Credit Union		22,250.50	22,250.50
Tax Anticipation Notes		5,000,000.00	5,000,000.00
Temporary Borrowing		2,820,000.00	2,820,000.00
TOTAL AGENCY, TRUST, INVEST.		11,968,568.35	11,968,568.35
REFUNDS, TRANSFERS			
Taxes Personal '86		1,294.20	1,294.20
Taxes Real '84		5,519.61	5,519.61
Taxes Real '85		3,199.30	3,199.30
Taxes Real '86		75,881.10	75,881.10
Excise Taxes '85		1,567.89	1,567.89
Excise Taxes '86		11,885.61	11,885.61
Excise Taxes '87		1,585.72	1,585.72
Ambulance A/R		680.50	680.50
Water Rates		43.25	43.25
Water Surplus		231.05	231.05
Estimated Income		5,397.32	5,397.32
Premium on Loan		6,435.16	6,435.16
Surplus Revenue		32.50	32.50
TOTAL REFUND TRANSFERS		113,753.21	113,753.21

GRAND TOTALS

GENERAL ACCOUNTS	18,226,186.90
AGENCY, TRUST, INVESTMENT	11,968,568.35
REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS	113,753.21
GRAND TOTAL	30,308,508.46

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1987

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
ASSETS:		
CASH		
General	4,363,130.38	
Prepaid Vacation	6,227.95	
Revenue Sharing	4,846.41	
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:		
TAXES		
Taxes Personal 1976	341.71	
Taxes Personal 1977	208.00	
Taxes Personal 1978	391.41	
Taxes Personal 1979	1,191.31	
Taxes Personal 1980	672.32	
Taxes personal 1981	805.74	
Taxes Personal 1982	499.62	
Taxes Personal 1983	207.33	
Taxes Personal 1984	83.61	
Taxes Personal 1985	14,233.19	
Taxes Personal 1986	866.34	
Taxes Personal 1987	1,444.83	
Taxes Real 1977	777.40	
Taxes Real 1981		7,392.00
Taxes Real 1982	27.71	
Taxes Real 1983		168.92
Taxes Real 1984		235.12
Taxes Real 1985	8,480.29	
Taxes Real 1986	167,218.43	
Taxes Real 1987	334,611.01	
Motor Vehicle Previous Years		133.65
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1973	1,238.13	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1974		73.16
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1975	20,842.44	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1976	23,931.96	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1977	33,339.79	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1978	27,078.89	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1979	23,175.97	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1980	15,992.10	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1981	5,064.45	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1982	6,575.96	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1983	12,774.69	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1984	18,755.25	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1985	27,230.62	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1986	69,746.84	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1987	75,994.42	

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
DEFERRED TAXES AND CHAPTER 60 REAL		
Chapter 60 Sec. 95 Bankruptcy Claim	3,018.08	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1976	1,428.00	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1977	1,456.00	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1978	1,544.00	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1979	2,975.40	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1980	2,949.30	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1981	7,681.20	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1982	7,038.46	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1983	8,965.25	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1984	7,865.49	
Taxes Real Ch. 41 - 1985	5,704.00	
TAX TITLES AND POSSESSIONS		
Tax Title	187,574.55	
Tax Title Possessions	26,450.36	
BOAT, SHIP AND VESSEL TAX:		
Boat, Ship and Vessel - 1983	30.00	
Toat, Ship and Vessel - 1986	253.00	
DEPARTMENTAL		
School Department Rental	7,494.37	
Police Off Duty Work	18,250.94	
Police Off Duty Work Surcharge	1,702.33	
School Off Duty Work	14,271.81	
School Off Duty Work Surcharge	1,249.19	
Ambulance	52,870.41	
Fire Off Duty Work	123.52	
Fire Off Duty Work Surcharge	12.35	
WATER		
Water Rates	105,510.05	
Water Liens Added To Taxes	21,153.72	
REVENUE		
Revenue 1987-1988	17,403,948.19	
Special Assessment Revenue		530.75
AUTHORIZED LOANS		
Authorized Loans	3,585,000.00	
Temporary Borrowing		1,480.00
Premium on Loans		3,230.55
UNDERESTIMATES OF ASSESSMENTS		
MBTA	40,642.00	
OVERESTIMATES OF ASSESSMENTS		
Special Education		12,892.00
County Tax		99.00

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
REVENUE SHARING PUBLIC LAW	153.59	
LIABILITIES AND RESERVES:		
PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS		
Group Life Insurance Withheld		1,553.54
County Retirement Withheld		19,209.77
Teachers' Insurance Withheld		4,087.08
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Withheld		116,457.83
Tax Sheltered Annuities Withheld		29,942.26
Custodian Dues Withheld		12.45
Employees Optional Insurance Withheld		631.13
Mass. Teachers' Retirement Withheld		45,230.17
Insurance Coverage - Related Injury		229.56
MTA Credit Union Withheld		1,455.00
GUARANTEE DEPOSITS		
Security Deposit - Musket-Flintlock		1,000.00
Security Deposit - Rose Lane		1,850.00
Security Deposit - Apple Valley		2,250.00
Security Deposit - Manor Lane		5,500.00
Security Deposit - Manomet		5,000.00
Bond Proceeds - Sharon Estates		2,499.85
Bond Proceeds - Savel Lane		3,000.00
AGENCY		
County Dog Licenses		1,334.25
TAILINGS		
Tailings - Unclaimed Checks		14,375.71
TRUST FUND INCOME:		
School Income Account		5,776.71
Griffith Fund		320.49
Bates Cemetery Fund		134.04
Marcus Clark Cemetery Fund		754.47
Enoch Fuller Cemetery Fund		421.06
Otis Fuller Cemetery Fund		250.04
Increase Hewins Cemetery Fund		249.54
Sarah J. Holmes Cemetery Fund		550.28
Hurley, Hewins and Warren Cemetery Fund		48.16
Captain Charles Ide Cemetery Fund		754.47
Lothrop Cemetery Fund		141.30
Matilda C. Morse Cemetery Fund		332.50
Lewis Smith Cemetery Fund		522.70
Jerome B. Snow Cemetery Fund		108.41
Edmund Talbot Cemetery Fund		13,484.79
Tisdale Cemetery Fund		2,429.12
S. Talbot Cemetery Fund		107.88
Lizzie Burke Library Fund		10.79

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
Historical Library Fund		96.24
Georgianna O. Hampton Library Fund		61.15
Estey and Hinckley Library Fund		134.60
Joseph A. Cushman Library Fund		215.17
Clapp Library Fund		311.72
Bates Library Fund		5.40
Perkins, Hayden and Drake Library Fund		177.70

FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS:

SCHOOL

Special Education Handicapped	10,454.25
ECIA 1987	2,427.50
Title II ESEA	171.15
Metco Ch. 506	12,043.35
Clinical Services	6,224.24
School Improvement Council	14,484.99
Computer Camp	51.89
Early Childhood Education PL 94-142	3,900.00
Early Childhood Education M/E	9,638.57
Project Reach - Early Childhood	36,991.72
Drug, Alcohol and Substance Abuse	1,366.00
Adult Education	140.08
Title I ESEA	2,895.84
Project Goal- Horace Mann Grant	86.00
Project Health	8,493.70
Gifted and Talented	1,242.35
Authors' Approach to Writing	260.20
Education Impr. Grant-Teacher Develop.	21,036.34
Vocational Ed. Acts Grant	2,144.05
School New Equipment	90,281.06

OTHER GRANTS

C.O.A. Discretionary Grant	7,000.00
Hurricane Gloria Reimbursement	32,599.90

REVOLVING FUNDS

Police Off Duty Work	1,854.48
E.M.T. Off Duty Work	6.51
School Off Duty Work	1,635.04
Norfolk County Retirement	160,391.00
School Lunch	42,016.87
School Athletic Fund	4,564.94
Summer School	26,120.63

APPROPRIATION BALANCES

Arts Council (Revolving Grant)	2,409.14
State Census	11,198.11
Unemployment Fund	37,562.51
Historic District Commission	63.16

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
Repairing Standpipes		4,849.14
Water Standpipe Repairs 1975		8,330.00
New Well Field Pumping Station '87 ATM		420,000.00
RECEIPTS RESERVED FOR APPROPRIATIONS		
Road Machinery Fund		6,596.28
RESERVES:		
Overlay Reserve (Surplus)		55,871.62
Overlay Reserved for Abatements		
1982-83		17,780.91
1983-84		24,014.20
1984-85		29,887.45
1985-86		101,879.06
1986-87		169,521.13
Reserve for Encumbrances		447,662.79
Revenue Appropriation Control	17,801,827.90	
REVENUE RESERVED UNTIL COLLECTION		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue		361,534.70
Taxes Deferred and Reserved		50,625.18
Tax Title Possession Revenue		213,897.86
Ambulance Revenue		52,870.41
Water Revenue		126,663.77
Departmental Revenue		43,104.51
Boat, Ship and Vessel Revenue		283.00
SURPLUS REVENUE		
Surplus Revenue		585,002.42
Water Surplus		452,743.17
Ambulance Surplus		12,201.62
COMMITTED INTEREST		
Committed Interest	37.45	
APPORTIONED WATER BETTERMENTS		
ADDED TO TAXES		
Apportioned Water Betterments		
added to Taxes	216.38	
AUTHORIZED LOANS UNISSUED		2,105,000.00
DEFERRED REVENUE		
Apportioned Water Betterments		
Betterments Not Due	1,082.02	
Betterments 1985-86		246.65
Betterments 1986-87		246.65
Betterments 1987-88		196.24
Betterments 1988-89		196.24
Betterments 1989-90		196.24

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
Capital Outlay Committee		602.53
Computer Purchase		27,391.42
Town Audit '86		7,810.13
Fire Equipment Art. 17 '87 ATM		41,663.00
Fire Equipment		199.51
Fire Sub-station Committee		1,488.40
Police Equipment '87		4,210.15
Right to Know		1,390.00
Transportation Bond Issue C637		25,842.00
Highway Bond C811		73,257.62
Highway Bond C811 FY '87		83,798.00
D.P.W. Encumbered		508.00
D.P.W. Equip. Borrowing '84 ATM		33,651.19
D.P.W. Equipment Borrowing '85 ATM		45,000.00
D.P.W. New Equipment		75,000.00
Town Hall Energy '83 STM		2,364.04
Town Hall Energy '85 ATM		53,800.00
Unitarian Church		2,000.00
Dry Pond Drainage		155,284.08
Old Post Road Drainage, Repaving		25,000.00
Drainage Construction		20,765.78
Design, Construction of Drainage '86		75,000.00
Const. Reconst. Town Roads		13,000.00
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Road Construction, Improvement		1,053.19
Highway Improvement Town Roads		3,171.60
Prelim. Eng. Study Solid Waste Disp.		10,000.00
Repairs Sacred Heart Dormitory Bldg.		9,811.06
Classroom Assessment '85		300.00
Classroom Assessment '86		9,200.00
Remodeling School Building '86		1,264.91
Remodeling School Building '87		310,046.03
Library Computer '87 ATM		29,561.89
Municipal Equalization Grant Funds		5,104.80
Recreation Equipment		1,882.50
Community Center Energy Impr. '87 STM		10,000.00
Recreation Reconst. Impr. Outdoor Rec.		8,112.00
Lake Massapoag Study Comm.		123.84
Lake Massapoag Sewerage System		85,000.00
DEA State Formula Grant '87		2,406.50
Conservation Land Acquisition '85		17,181.89
Conservation Comm. Land Acquisi. '86		5,000.00
WATER		
Water Engineering Study		3,688.00
Tree Lane Taking		14,000.00
Water Corrosion Control '86 STM		34,991.08
Water Mains-Art. 14 '79		6,433.60
Water Mains-Art. 12 '80		3,139.94
East Foxboro Street Well '75		401.16

ACCOUNT	DEBITS	CREDITS
DEBT ACCOUNT		
Net Debt	3,480,000.00	
Municipal Building Bonds DPW		840,000.00
Library Bonds		415,000.00
Drainage Construction Loan		65,000.00
Water Main Loan		100,000.00
East Elementary School Repairs		35,000.00
Recreation Sacred Heart Property		120,000.00
Water Mains-Wolomolopoag/Main		155,000.00
General Purpose Municipal Loan '84 STM		60,000.00
Computer Loan		180,000.00
General Purpose Loan '84 ATM		170,000.00
General Purpose Loan '86 ATM		1,325,000.00
State House Note		15,000.00
TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS		
Trust and Investment	176,901.48	
Stabilization Fund		2,881.87
Dorchester/Surplus Revenue		3,130.00
Sharon Friends School Fund		12,210.00
Perkins, Hayden		1,355.00
Lizzie Burke Library Fund		200.00
Clapp Library Fund		3,000.00
Bates Library Fund		100.00
Estey Hinckley Library Fund		1,470.00
Historical Library Fund		1,051.61
Joseph W. Cushman Fund		2,304.28
Georgianna Hampton Library Fund		694.60
Library Trust Fund		4,275.83
Lothrop Cemetery Fund		125.00
Mrs. H.A. Warren Cemetery Fund		40.00
S. Talbot Cemetery Fund		100.00
Jerome B. Snow Cemetery Fund		100.00
Cynthia Bates Cemetery Fund		100.00
Sarah Jane Holmes Cemetery Fund		400.00
Matilda C. Morse Cemetery Fund		200.00
Lewis Smith Cemetery Fund		300.00
Enoch Fuller Cemetery Fund		300.00
Marcus Clark Cemetery Fund		500.00
Captain Charles Ides Cemetery Fund		500.00
Otis Fuller Cemetery Fund		150.00
Increase Hewins Cemetery Fund		150.00
Edmund H. Talbot Cemetery Fund		5,000.00
Tisdale Cemetery Fund		1,800.00
Griffith Fund		200.00
Henry P. Kendall Trust		49,517.93
Insurance Claims Trust Fund		84,745.36
TOTAL	30,443,559.39	30,443,559.39

An appropriation has not been made from "Free Cash" to reduce the tax for fiscal year 1988.

As of June 30, 1987, there are no unrecorded restrictions, designations or appropriations on our Surplus Revenue Account or any other fund balance account.

T A B L E O F F I X E D D E B T							DEBT BOOK PAGE
BANK	LOAN/DATE	AMOUNT	RATE	MATURITY	OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1987	PRINCIPAL DUE FY 88	
A	Land/Building Acquisi. Dec. 1, '74 (1471)	300,000.	6.25%	12/1/94	120,000.	15,000.	P. 84
A	Water Loan Dec. 1, '77 (1494)	425,000.	4.5%	12/1/92	155,000.	30,000.	P. 93
A	East Elem. School Rprs. Dec. 1, '77 (1430)	360,000.	4.5%	12/1/87	35,000.	35,000.	P. 94
A	Municipal Buildings Nov. 1, '80 (1426)	1,425,000.	8.00%	11/1/99	840,000.	80,000.	P. 100
A	Library Bonds Nov. 1, '80 (1427)	780,000.	8.00%	11/1/99	415,000.	55,000.	P. 101
A	Drainage Const. Ames/ Robin/Old Post Road Nov. 1, '80 (1428)	100,000.	8.00%	11/1/99	65,000.	5,000.	P. 102
A	Water Bonds Edge Hill/ Billings Nov. 1, '80 (1429-000)	190,000.	8.00%	11/1/95	100,000.	15,000.	P. 103
B	General Purpose Muni- cipal Loan (1498) STM 10/83 May 1, '84	180,000.	7.00%	5/1/89	60,000.	30,000.	P. 104
B	General Purpose Muni- cipal Loan ATM 4/19/84 July 15, '84	305,000.	6.00%	7/15/89	170,000.	65,000.	P. 105
B	Data Processing Loan (1499-000) STM Apr. 24 '84 Oct. 15, '84	310,000.	7.41%	10/15/89	180,000.	60,000.	P. 106

T A B L E O F F I X E D D E B T, Continued

BANK	LOAN/DATE	AMOUNT	RATE	MATURITY	OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1987	PRINCIPAL DUE FY 88	INTEREST DUE FY 88	DEBT BOOK PAGE
A	Municipal Purpose (1499-002) July 15, '86	1,325,000.	VAR.	7/15/95	1,325,000.	240,000.	70,062.50	P. 107
B	State House Note (1499-003) ATM 4/8/85 July 15, '86	15,000.	5.25%	7/15/87	15,000.	15,000.	787.50	P. 108
T O T A L S					3,480,000.	645,000.	221,393.75	

BANK CODES

A - Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company

B - State House Notes

TREASURER - COLLECTOR

Frank M. Savino, Treasurer/Collector
 Jean L. Healy, Assistant Treasurer
 Jean F. Coffey, Assistant Collector
 Mary Markt, Senior Bookkeeper/Cashier
 Angela R. George, Senior Bookkeeper/EDP Operator
 Elizabeth A. Siemiatkaska, Senior Bookkeeper/Lien Certification
 Patricia T. Lesco, Junior Bookkeeper, Secretary
 Jean A. Naughton, Junior Bookkeeper, Secretary

Cash Balance July 1, 1986	1,559,496.60
Borrowing for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1987:	
Tax Anticipation Notes	3,000,000.00
Municipal Bond Loan	1,605,000.00
State House Note (1 Year)	15,000.00
Bond Anticipation Notes	2,960,000.00
Total Borrowings Fiscal Year 1987	7,580,000.00
Other Cash Receipts During Fiscal Year 1987	25,549,652.56
Total Cash Fiscal Year 1987	34,689,149.16
Municipal Bonds Paid	425,000.00
Bond Anticipation Notes Paid	2,555,000.00
Tax Anticipation Notes Paid	5,000,000.00
Total Loans Paid	7,980,000.00
Other Cash Payments During Fiscal Year 1987	22,341,172.37
Cash on Hand and in Banks, June 30, 1987	4,367,976.79
Total Cash Fiscal Year 1987	34,689,149.16

COLLECTOR 'S REPORT
FY - 1987

TAX ASSESSMENT OR CHARGE	OUTSTANDING JULY 1. 1986	COMMITMENTS	REFUNDS	PAYMENTS TO TREASURER	ABATEMENTS	TITLES OR WATER LIENS	OUTSTANDING JUNE 30. 1987
PERSONAL PROPERTY	19,093.82	437,952.96	1,294.20	437,353.47	42.10	0.00	20,945.41
REAL ESTATE	99,629.17	15,083,491.03	84,600.01	14,488,447.02	238,273.34	37,681.05	503,318.80
DEFERRED REAL EST	49,186.30	0.00	0.00	1,579.20	0.00	0.00	47,607.10
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE	393,406.62	818,342.53	15,039.22	818,834.08	46,419.59	0.00	361,334.70
BOAT, SHIP, VES EXCISE	524.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	166.00	0.00	283.00
WATER RATES	121,436.64	735,439.04	43.25	665,492.94	19,976.13	65,939.81	105,310.05
WATER LIENS	2,280.69	65,939.81	0.00	45,757.86	0.00	1,308.92	21,153.72
POLICE OFF DUTY WORK	13,113.49	102,533.58	0.00	96,487.63	908.50	0.00	18,250.94
SURCHG ON P. O. W.	1,217.94	8,563.42	0.00	7,988.17	90.86	0.00	1,702.33
SCHOOL OFF DUTY WORK	8,965.83	34,785.72	0.00	29,234.70	243.04	0.00	14,271.81
SURCHG ON S. O. W.	698.22	2,319.71	0.00	1,713.75	54.99	0.00	1,249.19
FIRE OFF DUTY WORK	0.00	409.22	0.00	285.70	0.00	0.00	123.52
SURCHG ON F. O. W.	0.00	40.92	0.00	28.57	0.00	0.00	12.35
AMBULANCE SERVICE	47,823.82	38,706.50	680.50	20,053.53	14,286.88	0.00	52,870.41
SCHOOL RENTALS	4,198.37	12,360.00	0.00	8,324.00	740.00	0.00	7,494.37
COLLECTORS INTEREST	0.00	79,453.46	0.00	79,453.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
COLLECTORS COSTS	0.00	11,917.89	0.00	11,917.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
LIEN CERTIFICATES	0.00	21,270.00	0.00	21,270.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
GRAND TOTALS	761,574.91	17,453,325.79	101,657.18	16,734,296.97	321,203.43	104,929.78	1,156,327.70

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Robert A. Merritt, M.M.A., Chairman
Paula B. Keefe
Ellen W. Abelson

Robert Kubera, M.M.A., Assistant Assessor
Mary A. Hall, Administrative Assistant
Martha Stein, Clerk

	Fiscal 1987	Fiscal 1988
ASSESSED VALUE OF PROPERTY NOT EXEMPT		
Real Estate	592,221,877.	627,047,827.
Personal Property	<u>13,067,875.</u>	<u>13,111,500.</u>
Total	605,289,752.	640,159,327.

LOCAL RECEIPTS ('87 Actual '88 Est.)

Motor Vehicle Excise	818,834.08	1,160,600.00
Other Excise	75.00	0.00
Penalties, Interest on Taxes, Excise	137,666.55	137,666.55
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	90,426.96	46,539.48
Charges for Services - Water	671,211.00	698,286.00
Other Charges for Services	4,830.00	4,000.00
Departmental Revenue - Schools	8,324.00	8,324.00
Departmental Revenue - Libraries	5,627.41	5,627.41
Departmental Revenue - Recreation	91,572.15	91,572.15
Other Departmental Revenue	296,819.01	296,819.01
Room Occupancy Tax	56,598.00	56,598.00
Interest	<u>140,873.04</u>	<u>240,873.04</u>
Total	2,322,857.20	2,746,905.64

FIVE YEAR SUMMARY

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Valuation</u>	<u>Total Appropriation</u>	<u>To be Raised by Taxation</u>	<u>Tax Rate</u>
1984	378,127,949.	14,180,734.15	9,037,258.00	23.90
1985	405,947,956.	15,473,635.68	9,335,192.99	23.00
1986	575,117,582.	16,863,580.45	9,489,440.10	16.50
1987	605,289,752.	17,958,752.20	10,501,777.19	17.35
1988	640,159,327.	19,042,169.93	11,433,245.58	17.86

The valuation of "new growth" resulted in increased revenue raising capacity of \$604,164. for fiscal 1988.

Leon Wolfson, a member of the Board of Assessors for eleven years, passed away during 1987. His daughter, Ellen Abelson, was elected to fill his position.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

John A. Sulik, Superintendent
D. Scott Laurie, Administrative Assistant
Marie E. Cuneo, Secretary
Cynthia E. Rhodes, Secretary

This year was highlighted by major construction projects, including a combination of contract and DPW forces completing a 30" storm drain in Pond Street and Ames Street, and DPW forces completing two parking lots in the business district. The Water Division started replacing the water main in Beach Road.

Post Office Square and the intersections at South Main, Gunhouse, East Foxboro Streets; South Main and Walpole Streets; Old Post Road and Route 1 were reconstructed by the state under the federal Topics program. At year's end the project is complete except for minor punch-list work to be done in the spring.

The installation of a corrosion control system for the town's five water wells was completed and town water now has a ph of 7+. This change in water chemistry has ended complaints concerning staining of fixtures.

Four new employees were hired during the year--Andrew Walker, Night Custodian; Wayne Walker, William Mancini, Water Division; and Jim Wolf, mechanic.

One hundred and nine shade trees were planted along town ways with the cooperation of the Sharon Shade Tree Committee. The town was designated as Tree City USA by the National Arbor Day Foundation.

Heavy snow falls occurred in January with a total of 41 inches in six storms. This was unquestionably the worst snow month in several years, but the streets were kept open by the efforts of the Operations Division.

OPERATIONS DIVISION

Bernard Yandowski, Supervisor
Barrett Greenfield, Assistant Supervisor
James Leighton, Foreman
Charles Shaw, Foreman
Charles Bishop, Foreman
Joseph Tringali, Foreman

In addition to the installation of a 42"/30" storm drain in Ames Street and construction of two parking lots in the business district, activities included building and equipment maintenance, street and catch basin cleaning and repair, snow and ice removal, grounds maintenance, roadside mowing and brush trimming, plus numerous other tasks.

WATER DIVISION

Bernard Moon, Supervisor

The new corrosion control system became operational in July. Design of a new well at Gavin's Pond is underway by Amory Engineers, Inc.

The following is a summary of activities in 1987:

New Mains: Minuteman Road, 300'; Old Bridge Lane, 520'; Knob Hill Street, 680'; Sandpiper Way, 500'.

New Meters Installed with Outside Reader	98
Old Meters Replaced	112
Read for Passing	210
New Mains	2,000'
New Hydrants	3
Lead Services Replaced with Copper	31
Freeze Up Calls	9
Broken Mains Repaired	14
New Services Tapped	30
New Services Inspected	47
Water Off and On for Plumbers	75
Curb Box Repaired or Replaced	90
Hydrants Repaired or Replaced	9
Water Samples Taken:	
State Fluoride	144
Sodium	60
State Bi-Weekly	264
Trihalomethane	6
Special	159

Gallons Pumped - 488,398,000

ENGINEERING DIVISION

James E. Miller, Town Engineer
Carlos A. Sanchez, Senior Engineering Aide
James R. Andrews, Engineering Aide

Throughout the year the Engineering Division conducted the routine activities of inspecting subdivision construction on behalf of the Planning Board, inspected septic system installations for the Board of Health, and provided information and assistance to the public and other town departments.

The Division successfully completed several major projects: the design and construction of drainage improvements on Pond and Ames Streets, construction of two parking areas in Post Office Square, and the review of the plans for the MacIntosh Farm and Quail Ridge subdivisions.

The Division was involved with several major planning projects, the

Dry Pond drainage project, the Sacred Heart Conversion, the new fire sub-station, completion of the landfill, the IEP aquifer protection study, and the rewiring of Board of Health regulations.

BUILDING INSPECTION AND CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

Robert M. Bender, Inspector of Buildings/Zoning Administrator
 B. Lawrence, Jr., Deputy Inspector
 James B. Delaney, Inspector of Wires
 Warrant L. Grant, Plumbing and Gas Inspector

Residents are reminded it is illegal to construct, reconstruct, or alter a structure without first obtaining a building permit from the Building Inspector. You must obtain a permit to reshingle a roof, install new siding, construct a tool shed or a cabana, or to rebuild a rotted out deck or stairs.

Electrical wiring cannot be installed, nor can gas piping or reconnection of gas appliances or water piping or plumbing fixtures be installed without a permit by licensed personnel. All domestic water piping must be installed with no-lead solder and a chemical test will be performed on at least one joint on every inspected job.

Some of the major non-residential starts for this year were a bandstand at the town beach, rehab of Osco Drug Store, two new modular libraries for town schools, new dental laboratories on Pond Street.

The total number of building permits issued for 1987 was 554. There were 78 permits issued for single family dwellings, down from 126 units in 1986 and from the all time high of 147 units for the year 1985. The total value of construction and alterations was \$26,000,000. Twenty violation notices were served and three were referred to court for compliance.

Permits Issued and Value of Construction:

Type of Construction	Permits Issued		Estimated Values	
	1987	1986	1987	1986
Single Family	78	126	11,216,370.	17,743,544.
Multi-family	77	0	8,156,410.	0.
Additions/Alterations	387	299	5,397,620.	5,091,107.
Garages	17	14	231,595.	118,940.
Other	48	56	352,997.	1,510,747.

Fees for building, gas, plumbing and wiring permits collected totaled \$108,421.70 and were turned over to the Town Treasurer.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Bernard F. Coffey, Chief of Police

Some highlights of the Police Department activities during the year 1987 are as follows:

Sergeants' Promotional Examination

A sergeants' promotional exam was held in May, 1987. A total of 12 patrolmen took the exam for two sergeant positions. The officers were graded on performance, experience, education and a written test, and each must pass a physical examination prior to appointment. Following this procedure, the Board of Selectmen appointed Officer Walter A. Badger and Officer Frederick J. Jones to the two sergeant positions.

Police Entrance Examination

A police entrance exam for the appointment of two officers was held in September, 1987. The 1987 town meeting approved the hiring of these officers, the first sworn personnel since 1972, and will increase the number of sworn officers to twenty-four. The Police Selection Review Committee processed approximately 100 candidates, recommending seven candidates to the Board of Selectmen for possible appointment. Candidates are required to pass a written test, physical test, psychological test, agility test, two oral interviews and an intensive background check. The Board of Selectmen appointed Paul L. Valeriani, a member of the Mashpee Police Department for several years, to start work with the Sharon Department on January 2, 1988. David F. Albanese of Westwood received the second appointment, effective April of 1988, following completion of his military commitment.

New Equipment

A microfiche screen with a subscription for annual updating was acquired, enabling the Department to locate people by name, ascertain addresses, date of birth, social security numbers, etc. This unit has been very valuable in a number of investigations.

The 1987 town meeting funded a telephone recording system, which was purchased from Dictaphone, Inc. following a bidding procedure. This system will document times, collect information accurately, replay calls immediately for information missed or not clearly heard. We will have a permanent record of all telephone calls and cruiser transmissions.

The 1987 town meeting also funded the use of closed circuit TV at the railroad station to assist in preventing vandalism and thefts which have been taking place for years. This system should be in place by early spring, 1988.

Department Activities

The Department received a national award for Pedestrian Safety for the third consecutive year from the American Automobile Association. This

accomplishment requires a team effort to bring this conclusion.

Sharon and Walpole detectives coordinated a thirteen month surveillance of buildings, cars and people on the town line that resulted in the largest drug bust to ever take place in this district. Four suspects were arrested for drug trafficking, and approximately one-half pound of cocaine, with a street value of \$500,000., was seized along with three vehicles, weapons, and \$30,000. in cash.

By consolidating intelligence with school officials on teenage drinking parties, many parties were discouraged by contacting the hosts or parents. Many teenage parties have turned into disasters, where too much alcohol and a lack of supervision have resulted in thousands of dollars of property damage, personal injury, etc. Police are especially concerned about what happens when parties end and the party-goers drive home. Police in many towns agree the reason parties get so out of hand, even those most innocently begun, is because of the presence of one particular invited or uninvited guest: alcohol.

Sharon police believe their extra effort has paid off over the past three years, as we were one of the first communities to face and deal with this national phenomenon. We concede teens might still be drinking as much, but have become more discrete after authorities were committed to become involved. It seems they are beginning to be more responsible, and that the availability of jobs for young people leaves less time for hanging out.

Town officials should be applauded for approaching the problem of teenage drinking on a number of fronts--planned activities as well as increased public vigilance. Young people need activities, they need understanding, they need respect. My hope is that we are meeting them more than half way. Young people, too, deserve credit for the changed atmosphere.

This past year the Sharon Police Department made application to NESPIN (New England State Police Information Network) and signed a membership agreement with them. NESPIN is a regional information sharing system funded by the U.S. Department of Justice and acts a focal point for the exchange of information on multi-jurisdictional crime. This organization permits access to the following: identification of individuals criminally active in two or more jurisdictions; access to "state of the art" computer aided information analysis; access to sophisticated investigative equipment; financial support for multi-jurisdictional investigations of crime and drugs.

This past year the Department joined the Norfolk County Task Force on Drugs. This membership was very instrumental in the Walpole-Sharon solution to the drug bust mentioned earlier.

Two sergeants were enlisted for membership in MASS-PAC (Massachusetts Police Accreditation Coalition). This is a massive multi-year effort to update all police rules, regulations, policies and procedures to a national level of professionalism.

During May and June the Police Department was involved in a community project of taping and fingerprinting children in grades kindergarten through five. These tapes could prove useful when a child is missing. A \$3. charge covered the cost of a three minute tape. Tapes and fingerprints were given to the child's parents for safekeeping. Organizations participating in this project were: Temple Israel Brotherhood, School Department, Sharon Cable Television, Lion's Club, and the Sharon Police Department. Members of the Department received numerous letters commending the individual efforts of most officers.

Training

We continue to send all officers to the South Suburban Institute for 40 hours per officer training sessions. This training includes all recent laws, along with all other required courses. We use our own in-service program to supplement other needed areas of training, using officers on the Department who have been certified as instructors in various specialties. Sharon was awarded a scholarship from the Institute of Public Management for the attendance of a sergeant at the Command Training Program at Babson College. This is one of the better training programs in the state. It is a three week live-in session. One of the new sergeants will receive this assignment sometime in March of 1988. Officers attend many specialty courses throughout the year sponsored by the Criminal Justice Training Council.

The new Safe Roads Act, Chapter 90, Section 20-K, took effect on July 1, 1987. This law states methods, techniques, and other criteria for the conducting of breath tests and requires training and annual certification for all operators of such devices. A total of ten officers have been certified, with one officer trained to be an instructor for the Department.

Drugs, Alcohol, Traffic Violations

A full court press continues in all of these areas and will continue to be a priority objective.

Traffic violations remain the most common complaint of many neighborhoods. The object of any traffic stop is to educate the driver as much as it is to extract a penalty. It would be an education for the public to see what a police officer sees. Police arriving at a scene may find a body hanging out of a vehicle, a bloodstained sheet, and maybe a pair of sneakers. What more can be done to alert people to the dangers of drinking and driving? Police administrators agree they need more officers, but as a matter of practicality, the number of motorists increases faster than police forces because of community budget restraints. With limited manpower, the police can't be everywhere. Where speeding is a problem, the police need to regularly crack down....police visibility....and a demonstration that they are serious about enforcing the law, can do wonders to make drivers stay within legal speed limits.

Tightening budgets and increasing costs obligate every police administrator to increase individual and organizational productivity. This is accomplished by conducting and using traditional programs and

technologies more effectively and maximizing use of human resources. As a result of Sharon officers aggressively enforcing traffic laws, 1987 was the most productive year the Department has ever had. Since the Department's emphasis on enforcement of laws relating to operating under the influence and traffic violations, the two year growth (1986 and 1987) shows an increase of approximately 367% in Operating Under the Influence arrests and an increase of 435% in moving traffic violations.

I'd like to commend the entire Department for its total effort of 1987. The personnel of the Sharon Police Department, detectives, prosecutor, patrol force, specialty officers, are highly respected professionals. We are one of the most active municipal agencies in the county in terms of the amount of work the officers do for the number of officers we have.

Special Police

The Special Police continue to participate in required training programs. The availability and cooperation of this elite volunteer department is unparalleled by any other community.

Police Services

During the year 1987 the Department responded to 8,058 requests for police services as follows: rape, 1; robbery, 3; assault, 16; B and E of dwellings, 93; B and E of motor vehicles, 9; larceny, 135; motor vehicle theft, 23; non-aggravated assault, 8; arson/bombing, 1; vandalism, 191; weapons violation, 2; sex offenses, 12; drug law violations, 3; offenses against family/children, 3; operating under the influence, 88; violations of liquor laws, 32; disorderly conduct, 2; threats, 25; kidnap, 1; officer field investigation, 145; arrests (warrant/capias), 167; general offenses, 60; trespassing, 19; civil complaints, 26; unlawful possession--burglery tools/explosives, 2; juvenile offenses (truancy CINS/runaway), 26; local by-laws, 210; missing persons, 59; missing property (lost/found), 82; disturbance (general), 91; disturbance (family), 69; disturbance, (gathering), 95; disturbance (school), 4; child/youth in street, 12; noise complaint, 196; annoying phone calls, 30; suspicious activity, 747; general services, 870; officer wanted, 208; escort (bank/funeral), 33; prisoner transport, 8; assist citizen (lock-out/motorist/transportation), 787; building check, 104; message delivery, 131; animal complaint, 173; assist municipal agency, 155; emergency services, 25; ambulance, 117; medical/mental (first aid, suicide or attempt), 89; reported death, 6; incapacitated person, 59; fire alarm, 13; burglar alarm, 1,343; assist other police departments, 141; traffic/motor vehicle complaint, 602; use without authority, 1; radar assignment (other than daily assignments), 70; speeding complaint, 37; leaving scene (PI, PD), 23; vehicle accident (PI/fatal), 92; vehicle accident (PD), 229; traffic control, 15; abandoned vehicle, 19; recovered stolen motor vehicle, 20. Total -- 8,058

There were 1,810 persons prosecuted. Of these, 1,774 were adults and 36 were juveniles, for a total of 2,384 offenses. Of these 2,384 offenses, 446 were arrests for criminal violations or warrants and 59 were protective custody detentions. Of the 446 arrests, 125 were for alcohol or drug related offenses.

The breakdown of alcohol or drug related arrests is as follows:

- 88 - Operating Under the Influence of Alcohol
- 32 - Minors Transporting Alcohol
- 2 - Public Drinking (Alcohol)
- 3 - Possession of Drugs

The breakdown of motor vehicle citations is as follows:

- 275 - Warnings Issued
- 1,614 - Civil Infractions
- 112 - Arrests
- 146 - Criminal Complaints

- 2,147 - Total Citations Issued

There were 517 motor vehicle accidents as follows:

- 125 - Personal Injury/Property Damage
- 391 - Property Damage
- 1 - Personal Injury Only

179 persons reported injuries as a result of motor vehicle accidents.

Income Generated During 1987 by the Police Department

Firearms I.D. Cards - 67	\$ 134.00
License to Carry Firearms - 113	1,130.00
License to Carry Firearms Photos - 73	730.00
Court Fines	66,410.00
Photostatic Copies	2,022.50
Parking Fees	3,685.00
Surcharges (Police Off-Duty Bills)	7,656.85
50% State Reimbursement - Incentive Pay	42,209.69
Burglar Alarm Bills	6,100.00
TOTAL	\$130,078.04

FIRE DEPARTMENT

James A. Polito, Chief

OPERATIONAL RECORD

Calls responded to for the year 1987 - 2,148

Box Alarms	27	Aid Calls	393
Squad Calls	13	Ambulance Calls	713
Still Alarms	463	TOTAL	1,609

Inspections and testing of fire protection systems and permits issued:

Certificates of Compliance Issued for Transfer of Home Ownership	312
New Home Smoke Detector Inspections	83
Oil Burner Inspections and Permits Issued	52
Propane Gas Storage Permits	9
Blasting Permits	21
Insurance Reports	13
Pump Basements	24
Underground Storage Tank Removal Permits	7
Raise Banners	9
Shell Reloading Powder Permits	9
TOTAL	539

A total of \$5,550.11 was turned in to the Treasurer's office for fees charged for the various permits issued and services rendered.

During the year all mercantile, industrial and apartments and other inspections mandated by Fire Prevention Codes and Department of Public Health regulations were performed.

From January 15 to May 1, 1987, the Fire Department issued 684 permits for the legal burning of brush which is allowed by DEQE for residential property only. The permits are issued to each resident only on the day burning is to take place.

Regular training sessions were held twice a month for all permanent and call members of the department. The training sessions are held for familiarization of firefighting techniques and continuing education towards recertification of our Emergency Medical Technicians.

A new four-wheel drive F-350 Ford was delivered in December. This vehicle has a 300 gallon tank with pump to be used for brush fires. A slide-on unit which can be removed outside of brush fire season enables the truck to be utilized as an all purpose vehicle.

The third phase of the Sharon Fire Sub-Station Building Committee is the architectural study and design of the sub-station. The architect chosen by the Designer Committee and Building Committee was Donham and Sweeney. This firm has designed many fire stations throughout the Commonwealth. A model of the building will be presented at the 1988 annual town meeting.

DOG OFFICER

Edwin S. Little, Dog Officer
Jacqueline S. Little, Assistant Dog Officer

A total of 2,435 complaints were received and acted upon during the

year 1987. It was necessary to prosecute 14 dog owners in the District Court for failure to license their dogs, and also for violation of the Dog Control By-Law.

Most of the 35 dogs reported as lost were found and returned to their proper owners. A total of 120 stray dogs were picked up and destroyed after the mandatory ten day waiting period was completed.

Again, I would like to thank the Town Clerk's Office for the complete cooperation received, which makes the job of Dog Officer a great deal easier to accomplish.

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Edwin S. Little, Inspector
Jacqueline S. Little, Inspector

The Animal Control Division inspects animals for the Town of Sharon and for the Massachusetts Department of Public Health under Chapter 129, Section 19.

This procedure involves inspection of animals for contagious disease and for the environment in which they are kept. The following animals were inspected during the year:

Sheep	6
Dairy Cows	45
Beef Cattle	6
Horses	71
Ponies	5
Donkey	5

Twelve animals were quarantined for a period of ten days for biting.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

James E. Mathews, Sealer

During the year 1987 every business establishment within the town using weighing or measuring devices for buying or selling of commodities or prepackaged goods which are under the jurisdiction of the Sealer of Weights and Measures was visited, the devices inspected and adjusted when necessary to bring them within the acceptable tolerances, and sealed.

Several requests were received from store managers to have new weighing or measuring devices sealed, and each was inspected and sealed prior to being used for the selling of goods.

The Sealer attended several training seminars conducted by the Massachusetts Weights and Measures Association in conjunction with the Massachusetts Division of Standards to review new laws and procedures, and ways to better enforce and detect practices used by wholesalers and retailers who are conducting businesses in town.

The following is a list of weighing or measuring devices which were sealed during the year 1987:

Gasoline Pump Meters	18
Prescription Balances	3
Scales	49
Weights	89

The following inspections of weighing and measuring devices, pump meters, tank deliveries, and prepackaged goods were made:

Gasoline Pump Meters	42
Vehicle Tank Deliveries	40
Scales	45
Prepackaged Goods	128

There were 159 weighing or measuring devices sealed during the year 1987 which were used for the sale of goods by local merchants. Inspection of scales, meters, prepackaged goods, and vehicle tank deliveries totaled 253. All fees collected were turned in to the Town Treasurer.

CIVIL DEFENSE

Bernard F. Rosenberg, Director

Thanks to a year of benign behavior by Mother Nature, the town did not require many services from Civil Defense. The organization was on hand, however, to provide lighting, portable generators and auxiliary communications during the town's Independence Day celebrations. The triathlon event was also aided by Civil Defense communications and vehicles.

The organization took advantage of this year of relative calm to launch a major program of equipment acquisition and improvement. By relying exclusively on volunteer labor to recondition equipment which was taken out of service by other town departments, the acquisition program was completed at very minimal expense to the town. Civil Defense members contributed more than 1,800 hours of their time. Significant private donations of trailers, equipment, and material were also received.

Under the acquisition program, Civil Defense constructed a trailer-mounted potable water tank. This unit was heavily utilized. It was loaned to the Department of Public Works for watering newly planted trees. It was also used to provide water when one of the summer camps experienced problems with its water pipes. Among other equipment added

were several portable and trailer-mounted generators, communications equipment, and a communications interconnect unit which allows Civil Defense personnel to telephone the police and fire departments directly from their cars.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Robert P. Berish, Chairman
Martin J. Badoian, Vice Chairman
Corrine Hershman, Secretary
Judith A. Katz
Susan M. Fried
Ellen B. Schoenfeld

Jason Glassman, Student Representative
Ann Marie Ford, Teacher Representative

John F. Maloney, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools
Thomas M. LaGrasta, Associate Superintendent of Schools
Anthony L. D'Acchioli, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent of Schools

Increases in elementary school enrollments and the need for new school facilities were two issues which required considerable deliberation during the 1987 calendar year. Expected increases in our elementary school enrollment prompted a study by Walter E. Kluz Associates to determine the feasibility of reopening the Intermediate School. Renovation proved to be too costly and the report recommended that the town no longer consider that building for school purposes.

For the 1987-1988 school year, the School Department was voted an increase of \$831,442. in its operating budget to \$9,878,518. This 9% increase allowed the School Committee to bring back some of the many vital programs which were offered to our students prior to Proposition 2 1/2. Restorations include the employment of a full-time elementary librarian and an increase in service from half-time to full-time for the junior high school librarian. The return of academic programs to the 1981 level is a major goal of the School Committee. Once achieved, consideration can then be given to further instructional improvements to provide our students with an even higher quality of education programming than currently exists. However, budget constraints continue to be an annual problem due to escalating cost factors. We need additional funding simply to maintain our current level of educational services.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Sharon continues to prepare the majority of its students for post-secondary education. We are pleased to report that eighty-seven per cent of the graduating class of 1987 went on to some form of higher education. Seventy-one per cent of the class is currently attending a four year degree granting college or university. All of our standardized test scores are well above the state and national norms. In fact, our Basic

Skills Testing Results for the 1986-87 school year again show Sharon to be among the communities with the highest state-wide scores. Our students continue to perform well and are a credit to themselves, their parents, and reflect the efforts of a highly experienced and dedicated teaching staff.

CURRICULAR IMPROVEMENT - STAFF DEVELOPMENT

The School Department prides itself on providing well defined professional development and training programs for its staff. During 1987, the following professional development projects took place:

Curriculum Improvement

1. The Elementary Mathematics Curriculum for students in Grades 1-5 has been revised to include substantial instruction in problem-solving skills.
2. The Writing Curriculum for students enrolled in Grades 3-6 is being expanded to include more direct instruction in writing.
3. The Junior High Collaborative Gifted and Talented Project with the Canton Public Schools has been extended to include the instruction and training in debating, telecommunications, and television production.
4. Three new advanced placement courses were added to the high school curriculum in the following subject areas: Spanish, Biology, and American History.
5. Computerized Assisted Instruction is available for the first time to students in reading and mathematics at Sharon High School.
6. Students in English and Social Studies at Sharon High School are given instruction in word processing to assist them in their writing assignments.
7. The High School curriculum in chemistry and physics has been revised in order to implement double lab periods. The non-college English curriculum has been refined in the areas of writing and listening, and a new course entitled "Global Studies" has been implemented for the first time this year.
8. The Kindergarten Screening Program, mandated by Chapter 766, has been revised by the staff in the areas of language, fine motor coordination, and gross motor coordination for implementation this year.
9. Extra curricula activities at Sharon High School have been expanded to include interscholastic wrestling, interscholastic girls' soccer, and intramural volleyball.
10. A year-long review of the elementary science curriculum began in September, 1987.

11. A year long review of the system-wide vocal and instrumental music program began in September, 1987.
12. A year long review of the school system library media program is currently underway.
13. An Elementary Curriculum and Instruction Advisory Council to assist Administration in identifying critical curriculum and instruction issues to be resolved at that level became a reality in 1987.

Inservice Staff Development Opportunities

Improving the knowledge and skills of our staff members is an ongoing task. To accomplish this goal, a number of interesting staff development opportunities were undertaken during the past year. Some of these included:

1. The use of the computer as a management tool.
2. Teaching writing as a process skill.
3. Cooperative learning techniques in the classroom.
4. Implementing activity based curriculum at the kindergarten level.
5. Developing math problem solving skills with the use of manipulatives.
6. Training in teacher evaluation techniques for department chairpersons and administrators.
7. Current teaching strategies for classroom teachers.
8. Developing problem solving skills for students.
9. Stress management for students and staff.
10. Specialized student activities - a self-contained elementary language based program for children with special needs.

SPECIALIZED STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Specialized programs and activities are used to reinforce and enrich our regular curriculum. The following list highlights some of our more effective offerings:

1. Canton vs. Sharon debating class at the Junior High School.
2. Development of a Transition to Kindergarten Program for 5 year olds.
3. Extended Day Program for Kindergarten children which is held in the afternoons at the Senior High School.
4. Bicentennial programs to celebrate the signing of the U.S. Constitution.

5. Wrestling and girls' soccer were added to our high school interscholastic sports program.
6. Tony Mastorilli, a recognized guest speaker, spoke at two assemblies on the issue of AIDS for our Junior High and Senior High School students and interested parents.

CAPITAL OUTLAY FUNDS

The capital outlay projects approved at the 1987 Annual Town Meeting addressed, on a limited basis, the deterioration of some of our school buildings. Once again, greater fiscal support is needed to correct and improve our instructional facilities. Our buildings are old and continue to demand attention. The following is a list of the projects approved at the 1987 Annual Town Meeting:

1. The purchase of two modular classrooms which now house the Cottage Street and Heights Elementary libraries.
2. The purchase of instructional equipment and chalkboard replacement at the Senior High School.
3. The purchase of replacement dishwashers at all schools except the Junior High School.
4. The purchase of IBM-compatible computers used by the High School Business Department for word and information processing, accounting, and remedial work.
5. Cafeteria furniture at the Senior High School and limited purchases of classroom desks and chairs at all schools.
6. Modernization of the fire alarm systems at each school which are necessary to conform to current fire code regulations.
7. Purchase and installation of a walk-in freezer for the Senior High School Food Service program.
8. Handicapped improvements were completed at the Cottage Street, Junior and Senior High Schools to provide access for the handicapped.
9. Modernization of the Senior High School Auditorium Sound System.
10. Redesign and repaving of the Senior High School parking lot.
11. Roof restoration at the Heights Elementary School.

At year end, the last six projects listed, as well as the replacement of an underground fuel oil tank at Heights Elementary School (funded last year) are planned for the spring and summer months of 1988. Several other projects which were previously funded were completed during the past school year. Among those projects were the installation of a new telephone system, roof replacement at Cottage Street School, a freezer for the Heights Elementary School lunch program, and the renovations of the

Senior High School stage lighting system.

One study which investigated the feasibility of reopening the Intermediate School or looking into alternate construction options was performed by the architectural firm of Kluz Associates. Designers are being sought for two additional studies: (1) to examine the capacity and functioning of the leaching field at the Senior High School; and (2) investigation of the correction and/or replacement of the Senior High School gym floor.

The list of capital improvements while impressive in its scope, only indicates the extent of improvements still needed as a result of deterioration which was allowed to happen as a result of Proposition 2 1/2 and other fiscal constraints.

The School Committee and the Administration wish to thank the townspeople and the members of the Capital Outlay Committee for their vote of support for these major repairs and replacements. As a result of these improvements, our schools are more energy-efficient and are beginning to take on a refurbished appearance.

RETIREMENTS

Each year the School Committee recognizes retired employees by publishing their names in the Annual Town Report. During 1989, the following staff members retired from the school system with the actual length of service to the community appearing in the parenthesis beside each name: Donald Bergeron (16 years); Gary Hall (32 years); Warren Kline (17 years); Warren Bezanson (28 years); and Dorothy Russell (18 years).

The School Committee, Administration, and staff wish each of our retired employees well, and thank them for their many years of devoted service to the School Department and the children of Sharon.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The School Committee is charged with the responsibility of overseeing the education programs of the schools and for expending the largest departmental budget in the community. While it is legislated that it be an advocate for all children residing within the community, the School Committee maintains fiscal integrity by setting policy which provides for the most appropriate educational opportunities given the town's ability and willingness to pay. Accordingly, the public is encouraged to attend School Committee meetings in order to have a better understanding of how issues and problems are deliberated and resolved in the best interests of the students and the community. The School Committee faces the continual dilemma of adjusting less than adequate resources in the face of escalating costs. It is essential that the public be aware of these problems and the rationale for School Committee decisions.

All School Committee meetings are conducted at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, 1 School Street, at 8:00 P.M., unless it is otherwise stated on the agenda. The meetings can be viewed live on the public access, Channel 8, of the local cable television station. The

agendas for School Committee meetings are posted forty-eight hours in advance of each meeting date at the Town Office Building, the Public Library, the Post Office, and the Recreation Department.

CONCLUSION

As calendar year 1987 comes to an end, we still have an unresolved teachers' contract. The representatives of the School Committee and of the Teachers' Association have been negotiating since October, 1986 for a new contract. At year's end, several outstanding issues need to be resolved. We hope that we will be able to reach a mutually agreeable settlement in the immediate future.

The School Committee wishes to acknowledge the fine work of its employees. Our many successes are directly attributed to their skills and dedication. By working together we have achieved many noteworthy successes. We plan to continue a cooperative working relationship to enhance the educational opportunities for the children of Sharon.

SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

James J. Leonard, Sharon Representative
Southeastern Regional School Committee

The Southeastern Regional School District consists of eight towns including Sharon, Stoughton, Foxboro, Mansfield, East and West Bridgewater, Easton, and Norton, and the City of Brockton. The High School offers twenty-four vocational training programs and six technical institute post-secondary programs.

In June, 1987, the Southeastern Regional Vocational Technical High School graduated 271 students. Guidance Department records indicate that 100% of the members of the Class of 1987 were placed either in full-time jobs or had elected to further their educations. Much of the success of our job placement record is attributed to the Cooperative Education program. Fifty-five per cent of the Class of 1987 participated in the Co-op Program.

Federal grants from a variety of sources were used to offset equipment costs. Vocational Education Act grant funds (Public Law 98-524) were used to purchase a table saw, sander and three lathes for the House Carpentry and Machine Shop Programs.

Special Education funds (Public Law 94-142) were used to support our Chapter 766 program. Chapter II block grant funds were used to support Southeastern's commitment to computer-assisted instruction.

Equal Educational Opportunity Grant funds were used to purchase academic and vocational supplies.

School Improvement Council funds were also used to purchase equipment

and supplies.

Curriculum and staff development continue to provide students with increased options upon graduation. Computer awareness was further incorporated into the mathematics curriculum. Increased reading and writing skills were strengthened by updating the curriculum and materials of the English Department. Computer-assisted units are now being introduced into the vocational curriculum.

The annual Senior Awards Program provided over \$16,000. worth of scholarships and "toolships" to graduating students. This scholarship program enables students to obtain tools and equipment for employment or scholarship funds to continue their education.

The demand for graduates of vocational programs continues to be very strong in Massachusetts. Studies indicate that 15,000 vocational high school graduates are needed each year.

Southeastern is always seeking new and different ways of conducting its education programs at minimal costs to the taxpayers of the district. The cost of operating the Southeastern Regional School District is among the lowest in the Commonwealth.

This year we spent much time trying to decide the best way to run an election under the decree of a judge. A person had won a suit on the one man, one vote rule in which he had been joined by the American Civil Liberties Union and the Massachusetts Secretary of State. Our appeal was denied and we were given five methods to choose from to gain compliance. We chose a district-wide election with a residency requirement. Four towns and the City of Brockton held elections in November for one member each, and five will be elected in 1988, four from the towns and one from Brockton, which has two members.

I was on the subcommittee which worked with the school's attorney and which entailed many meetings. Our State Senator, Bill Keating, did an outstanding job getting us through the maze of the legislature. Our Town Clerk, Shirley Davenport, attended meetings and gave invaluable assistance. As Secretary of the School Committee, I was the Registrar of Voters for the Sharon election.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Bonnie J. Strong, Director
Robertta M. Handy, Reference and Young Adult Librarian
Cheryl McClain, Children's Services Librarian
June Pharmakis, Library Technician
Elaine Ellins, Circulation Department Supervisor
Frankie Y. Williams, Administrative Assistant
Guido Cisternelli, Custodian/Maintenance

Library Assistants

Lorraine Bass
Gail Clayman
Ann Donovan

Karen Hagan
Marsha Richmond
Margaret Shannon

Nancy Glynn

Library Pages

Jason Reuss

Mildred Worthley

PERSONNEL

The Library was pleased to be able to add an additional fulltime library assistant in July in order to ensure adequate staffing levels, particularly for evenings and Saturdays. The position was awarded to library assistant, Karin Hagan. In September, the part-time vacancy created was filled by Ann Donovan. The position of custodian was reclassified to Custodian/Maintenance, reflecting increased responsibilities and necessary skills which result in saving money for the town, as many repairs can be completed without hiring outside repair services.

The Library staff has spent a considerable amount of time preparing for new methods of providing services. Their individual personal strengths combined with their collective desire to work very hard and be flexible are to be admired and commended. The staff is the facilitator between the users of the library and its materials; without such dedicated personnel, the quality of service which Sharon residents have come to expect would suffer.

AUTOMATION

Substantial progress was achieved in the planning and implementation of the sixteen member Old Colony Library Network, which is supported by town funds as well as substantial state and federal grants. Within the Library, significant efforts resulted in the preparation of a large percentage of the materials ready to be entered into the central site computers, located at Massasoit Community College, Canton Campus. Equipment was installed enabling the Library to communicate via special telephone lines with the central site and personal computers were purchased and attached to the equipment. All staff members have been trained to enter the proper information into the computer system and are now working at this enormous task, moving Sharon slowly but surely toward the ability to fully implement the automated service. The patience shown

by the community during this entire process is deeply appreciated.

SERVICES PROVIDED TO THE COMMUNITY

There is interesting data which gives an indication of some of the services which the Library has provided to the community.

138,683 items were circulated, an average of over 9 per resident.

10,438 reference questions were answered.

Passes to six museums were used by 502 families.

A variety of special activities planned by the Library staff, including a range from story hours, to family evenings, to an AIDS informational program, to the annual pet show, drew over 2,450 participants.

Many community groups, such as the League of Women Voters, the Creative Arts Association, the Fire Substation Committee, and Representative Barney Frank used the Community Room during the year.

The Rental Collection, supported by the Friends of the Library, continues to increase in popularity. Due to extremely heavy usage, the cassette book collection has been and will continue to be expanded. The annual joint sponsorship of the Halloween Prowl with Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary was an overwhelming success, with the largest turnout ever.

The Library returned \$5,367.70 in fines and fees to the town.

GIFTS

Again, many people have been generous to the Library in a wide variety of ways, enabling the Library to maintain and expand materials and services available to all Sharon residents. The Friends of the Library, led by President Mark Snyder, has tripled its membership in just three years to its current level of 296, most of which are family memberships. It has continued to provide financial support for numerous materials and programs; the most recent donation of a snowblower has made it much easier to clear the walks quickly and efficiently. The Friends also provide inestimable public and moral support.

A special Compact Disc Listening Center in memory of Robert W. Lakari was established, with gratitude to all who helped make this available to Sharon residents.

Loyal volunteers contributed a total of 1,294 hours of service to the Library; certain tasks could not possibly be accomplished without their valuable assistance. In addition, over \$4,000. in books and special gifts were donated to the Library.

As we strive to maintain the highest levels of services and materials possible under increasing fixed constraints, we are grateful to all who assist their library in any way; the library belongs to all Sharon residents, who benefit greatly from the efforts of so many who assist us in serving the town.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

SHARON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Suzanne K. Gray, Chairman
William L. Schweber, Vice Chairman
Karen K. Goober, Treasurer
Helen V. Hogan
Sandra Lindheimer
Mark A. Popovsky, M.D.

Mark Popovsky and Sandra Lindheimer were elected to the Board of Trustees in 1987, replacing Jack Koffman and John A. Canton, Jr.

In June, the Trustees accepted Bertha Chandler's resignation as Director of the Sharon Public Library, with great appreciation for her past services. Ms. Chandler had been offered an extension of her Fulbright grant, and planned to stay in England for an additional year. During her years as Director of the Sharon Public Library, Ms. Chandler's performance of her duties was always outstanding. The Trustees are grateful for her many contributions. After preliminary interviews by a Search Committee, the Trustees selected Bonnie Strong to be the new Director during Bertha Chandler's leave of absence. Her dedication and leadership this past year have guided the Library through another difficult period with a minimum of upheaval.

At the April, 1987 Town Meeting, \$45,000. was voted to repair and reroof portions of the Library roof. Leaks had become so frequent that a major repair job needed to be done. The contract was awarded to Dostoomian Roofing Systems, Inc., the low bidder. We are pleased that the project has been completed within budget, and expect that, for the foreseeable future at least, we will not have to worry about water damage to the inside of the building (and the books).

Throughout the year, the Trustees have continued to work on their Long Range Plan using the information gathered during the fall, 1986 Community Survey. We are proud of the professional quality of the survey and the report which we produced at no additional cost to the town. We expect our new Long Range Plan to shape the direction in which the Library will be moving in the next few years.

Finally, the Trustees want to thank the dedicated staff, the Friends of the Library, the volunteers, for each in their own way contributing to the successful operation of the Sharon Public Library.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

David I. Clifton, Director
John T. Connors, Jr., Assistant Director
Mary Colaneri, Secretary
Glen Peck, Custodian/Caretaker

The Town of Sharon's quality of life is reflective of the people who live here. It is a vital, growing town with an active population accustomed to high quality programs and services that will shape the future environment of our community. In 1987, the Recreation Department proudly played an essential role in providing these quality programs and assuring the continued development of leisure time opportunities for all residents.

Even in the face of tightening budgets and financial crises, the Sharon Recreation Department continues to provide service to thousands of residents in the community. Many of its programs would not have been possible without the help and support of hundreds of volunteers in the community, from youth sports programs to senior citizen activities. Thanks to these volunteers, and especially the Recreation Committee for the many hours studying, recommending, advising and evaluating in order to improve the quality of recreation. Special thanks in 1987 to the D.P.W., School Department, Police and Fire Departments for their interdepartmental cooperation in the use of equipment, vehicles and expertise.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude and thanks that the Recreation Department recognizes the importance of all our volunteers. Their zealous commitment in assisting our permanent staff to provide quality programs throughout the year has made them invaluable. The Recreation Department salutes the volunteers for a job well done in 1987.

On October 15, 1988, the Recreation Department will celebrate its 20th anniversary as a department. Following are some of the highlights from the 1987 list of activities:

Master Plan

The Department hired consultant Linda Snyder to prepare a department master plan in order to chart the course of recreation services and facilities through the 1990's, and Phase I of the plan was completed. It included the overview, inventory of programs and facilities, neighborhood meetings, the needs analysis and some park development plans. Phase II will be completed in 1988.

Lakeside Concert Series

With the completion of our new bandstand at Lake Massapoag, the Town of Sharon, through the Recreation Department, established the Friends of the Lakeside Series Committee to arrange for a summer series of entertaining evenings for the residents of the community.

Two very enjoyable concerts, sponsored by the Sharon Credit Union and the Sharon Cooperative Bank, were held during the summer of 1987, with

large crowds attending each one. A total of eight concerts are planned for the summer of 1988. The Friends of the Lakeside Series Committee includes Paul Ares, Robert Sondheim, Judy Silverman, Lou Kafka, Bernard Delman, Harris Cohen, Kevin LaBrie, Alan Shapiro, Bill McColgan, Irving Zeman, Dave Hamer, Ann Hughes and David Clifton.

Dr. Walter A. Griffin Basketball Court

Two new basketball standards and a bench were installed by the D.P.W. at the Dr. Walter A. Griffin Basketball Court. This equipment was donated by the Robert Flanagan Memorial Fund in memory of an active volunteer in the Sharon Youth Sports Program, Robert Flanagan. The fund also provided a new scoreboard for the Heights Elementary School.

Awards and Citations

In April, Recreation Director David Clifton received the coveted New England Recreation and Park's highest citation for his work in the Sharon community and his long and outstanding service in the promotion of recreation in Massachusetts and New England. This is an annual award presented by the New England Regional Council of the National Recreation and Parks Association.

The Sharon "Seniors on the Go" Traveling Road Show received the 1987 Arts and Humanities runner-up award from the New England Regional Council of the National Recreation and Park Association. The entire cast is to be congratulated, especially the hard working coordinator, Pat Dutton.

Youth Basketball

In 1987, registration was up in the Sharon Youth Basketball Program with a total of 659 youngsters actually participating in ten divisions. Many thanks to coordinators Bill Purple, Bill Bagby, Betsy Wall, Rick Pariseau, Al Dewey, Sid Rosen, Larry Siegal, Cliff Keeling, Al Gerofsky, Mike Flavin and Don Kay.

Dr. Walter A. Griffin Playground

The two old playground buildings at the Dr. Walter A. Griffin Playground were demolished in September, and one new building will be constructed in 1988. The new building will include an office, rest room facilities, and a storage area for recreation equipment.

Capital Improvements

The Recreation Department received an appropriation at the Annual Town Meeting for the following capital improvements:

- paving of the Community Center parking lot
- repairing and color coat sealing of the tennis and basketball courts at Deborah Sampson Park
- demolition of the Dr. Griffin playground buildings and construction of a new building
- improvements to the Community Center building

International Special Olympics

The Town of Sharon gave special recognition to Russell Tillson of Longmeadow Lane for his accomplishments at the International Special Olympics held in Indiana. He competed against thirty weight lifters from around the world, and was the recipient of the bronze medal in weight lifting with a 230 pound dead lift. He also earned a fourth place ribbon in the bench press. Russell has been a successful weight lifting competitor for several years, earning three gold medals and two silver medals at the Massachusetts Special Olympics over two years.

Athletic Supervisor

Athletic Supervisor Jack Cosgrove resigned from his position in August after fifteen years of service to the town. Mr. Cosgrove took another position in September, and the Recreation Department wishes him the best in this new endeavor.

Crazy George Basketball Exhibition

The Recreation Department, in conjunction with Reebok, Inc., sponsored a fun basketball exhibition on December 20th at the Sharon High School gymnasium featuring "Crazy George" from Ohio. Crazy George periodically appears at many of the N.B.A. sites entertaining during half time shows. We were happy to have him as our guest in Sharon.

Boat Launching Area

In 1987 the Recreation Department organized a committee to evaluate the town boat launching area and its usage to ensure better safety. A pilot program was created for the summer of 1987 in order to separate motorboats, sailboats, and windsurfers in and out of the water. This area will continue to be evaluated in 1988.

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Michael Ginsberg, Chairman
Nancy Smargon
Louis Kafka
Larry Finkelman
Judith Katz, Ex Officio
Benjamin Puritz, Ex Officio

During 1987, the Recreation Advisory Committee continued to serve as a sounding board for the Recreation Department, advising the Chief Executive and the Board of Selectmen on the management of a solid program consistent with the recreational needs of the community. The Committee saw many accomplishments in 1987, but the ones to be remembered most were capital improvements totaling \$65,000., the completion of Phase I of the Department's Master Plan, and the positive steps being taken by the Department to respond to the introduction of computer technology.

The Committee members spent many hours working with the Department and Recreation Consultant Linda Snyder on the first phase of the Master Plan, which included the overview, the inventory of programs and facilities, and four neighborhood meetings.

Master Planning Process

The Recreation Department and Advisory Committee are committed to a public planning process. In Phase I, town residents are asked about recreation priorities in a series of neighborhood meetings. In Phase II, public meetings are held to give citizens an opportunity to respond to a concept master plan. The master plan will be prepared based on citizen response. The following illustrates the planning steps which the process will follow:

Phase I

- Overview
- Inventory Programs and Facilities
- Neighborhood Meetings

Phase II

- Needs Analysis
- Concept Master Plan
- Park Development Plans
- Public Meeting
- Recreation Master Plan Recommendation

Implementation

- Board of Selectmen Review and Approval

Purpose of the Recreation Master Plan

The Recreation Master Plan will chart the course of recreation services and facilities through the 1990's. Recommendations will include proposals for both capital and operating budgets; to support both a needed capital improvement program, as well as expanded recreation and community service programs.

Recreation services contribute greatly to the vitality and quality of life of our community. It is hoped that through the planning process documented by this report the citizens of Sharon, boards, committees, and town leaders can reach important decisions concerning the future of public recreation. These decisions will involve:

- What recreation programs are most used by town citizens? Should any programs be discontinued?
- What new programs would town citizens like to initiate? What funding and facilities will they require?
- What indoor and outdoor facilities need improvement? Should the town build new recreational facilities?
- Does the town need a "Park Division" for the maintenance of

recreation facilities?

- How can the town make suitable recreational use of its conservation lands and open spaces? What existing park areas should be maintained for conservation?
- Should the town expand the human services and cultural programs of the Recreation Department?
- How much money is the town willing to invest in recreation; how best can scarce funds be used to meet the town's goals?

Other Happenings in 1987

Committee member, Sylvia Bookman, resigned in October.
The Department revenue increased.
The Director received the top New England award.
New Athletic Supervisor was hired.
Michael Ginsberg was elected Chairman for two terms.
Memorial Park Beach bandstand was completed with volunteers.
Phase I of Master Plan completed.

We wish to sincerely thank all the volunteers involved in various facets of the Recreation Department's programs.

COUNCIL ON AGING

W. Rod Speirs, Chairman
Harold Stubbs, Vice Chairman
Louis Goldberg, Treasurer/Secretary
Esther Levy
Donald McKillop
Francis Roman
David Clifton

Diana Ryder, Executive Director

The Council on Aging is the town governmental board mandated by the Massachusetts General Laws. There are seven volunteer members on the Board, appointed by the Board of Selectmen. Councils on Aging were established as the community network to design, promote, implement and coordinate programs as well as services meeting the needs of an age specific group of residents. Age sixty is the arbitrary age consistently chosen across the Commonwealth as the youngest eligible for services from the Councils on Aging.

The Council on Aging programming demands tend to be in the three areas of Advocacy, Outreach, and Service Delivery.

Advocacy means representing and educating elders on issues. It is questioning, listening, evaluating, learning, acting.

Outreach means establishing one-to-one contact with elders who are isolated and unaware of the services available to them. Oftentimes, the isolated elder is the frail, homebound person, living alone.

Service Delivery can range from offering recreational programs to operating a social day care site.

In the Town Report of the year 1986 we reported four objectives for 1987, and it is fitting that we should report on their progress.

The first objective was the employment of a full-time Executive Director for the Council on Aging, and was accomplished. The Selectmen appointed Diana Ryder of Millis in October. She is also the Chairperson of the Millis Council on Aging. She was a member of the staff of King Philip and since has been on the staff of Tri-Valley Elder Service as Adult Foster Care Worker. She started with Sharon Council on November 9th. Sylvia Silberman is to be commended for her work while the search was being conducted. The Committee officially thanks her for her loyalty.

The second objective was the Council's role of policy and planning, working in close harmony with the Office of Elder Affairs and Area Agency on Aging. Chandler Jones has been our representative on the Executive Board of the Area Agency on Aging, providing very fine reports presented in a clean-cut brief manner, most helpful to those with limited knowledge of the workings of this group. Don McKillop serves on the Advisory Board of this agency, as well as the Board of Directors. Grant proposals have been submitted to EOEa to obtain funding for our programs which they have sanctioned. EOEa also has provided us with technical advice.

The third objective concerned the administrative group working in harmony with the seniors, who would provide more planning and leadership for their own activities. This phase of the program will take some time to develop. An example of what we hope to accomplish is the "Seniors on the Go." Now in process are Tele-Pals, Congregate Meals, Trip Planners for bus trips, Sundial Production Staff. There have been requests for a men's breakfast club. The establishment of these groups will be an ongoing objective, as will be the cooperation with groups such as the Garden Club, Kendall Whaling Museum, Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary.

Objective number four involved the Director, with the Chairperson of the two sections, Planning and Policy, and Administration, becoming the Executive Committee, which would coordinate their activities and those from the state. Under the leadership of the Executive Director, this program will be in full swing by the end of 1988.

Another important accomplishment was the replacing of the old bus with a more comfortable and safer new bus. Bill Rentel, the driver of the van, was an extremely dedicated, cooperative person who served as a volunteer, and whom the Council is proud to have had associated with it. We were most sorry to learn that Bill passed away soon after the new year.

Friends of Council on Aging

Under the leadership of Robert Sondheim, this group has grown to 300

members. With our new program this should become a very important active group.

Continuing Activities

Many activities at the Community Center are provided in conjunction with the Recreation Department. The council has taken part in the Commodity Food Program and Fuel Assistance for those who qualify.

Some of the activities in which they have been involved are: line dancing, bingo, Governor's Cup Walk, and Elder Hostel. The Council provided a number of speakers on subjects such as tax preparation and health concerns.

In December the community lost a man who was long connected with the Council on Aging at the state level and town level. Abe Aronson was one of the founders of the Friends of the Council on Aging, a delegate to King Philip, and a writer of Doggerel.

In conclusion, acknowledgement is given to all town departments, but in particular to Joan Spano, the Public Health Nurse, for all their help and cooperation.

CONSERVATION COMMISSISON

Margaret Arguimbau, Chairman

Janice Adler
Thomas Cheyer
Linda Ciborowski

Robin Goodband
Edward Lukey
Edward Welch

Richard Lewis, Conservation Officer
Diane Malcolmson, Secretary

There were six Requests for Determination filed with the Commission this year, almost all requiring the filing of a Notice of Intent. We held 28 hearings for work near wetland areas, the largest project being Quail Ridge, the next largest being MacIntosh Farm. We are pleased to have finished with these projects and believe that the wetland areas involved will have the best protection afforded under our jurisdiction. The town owes a debt of thanks to members Ed Welch and Ton Cheyer for many, many extra hours devoted to both these project to ensure wetland resource protection.

The Commission did issue a denial of a project, Gorwin Drive Extension, due to the excessive amount of wetland filling involved. The project is now being handled by the DEQE and we await its final decision.

Our concerns for open space continued by contacting private owners of land in the hopes of obtaining restrictions or possible purchases. We are grateful to Esther Reeve, who in December gave a gift of land, totaling eight acres, to the Commission in memory of her husband, Walter, who had

served on the Commission for a number of years. The piece is located near Billings Brook and will make a welcomed addition to the 92 acre "land swap" acquisition at Quail Ridge. Approximately 118 acres of land will remain open as a result of the MacIntosh Farm approval.

We continued to be involved in the Bay Circuit Program in hopes of connecting the green areas in our area. Richard Lewis is the town's representative to the Canoe River Watershed Association, whose concerns are mainly protection of that area and its resources.

1987 saw the Commission complete its first year with Richard Lewis as Conservation Officer. Though he is only part-time, the effort and direction which he gives to us and the town is outstanding. The town, its wetland resources and this Commission is being well-served by Mr. Lewis.

We would be remiss not to acknowledge the contributions made by the "Friends of Conservation." Vicki Anderson, Nicole Cromwell, Anne Mullen-Blumenstiel, Charlotte Blank and Linda Ciborowski form the core of this organization which, in 1987, put up a wildlife display in all three elementary schools and ran an assembly program with the movie "Our Wildlife Heritage." The Massapoag Trail walk and the sale of T-shirts and seedlings were the major fundraisers. The Commission sincerely appreciates the support of the Friends.

SHARON HOUSING AUTHORITY

John T. Connors, Jr., Chairman
Richard J. Martin, Vice Chairman
Jacqueline Little, Secretary
Dorothy Kaufman, Treasurer
Shirley J. Markie, Assistant Treasurer

Frank Sullivan, Attorney
Charles Garnhum, Maintenance Supervisor
George Allen, Maintenance Assistant
Billie Williams, Office Assistant

In 1987, the Sharon Housing Authority continued to respond to the increasing maintenance needs of its existing 88 units of elderly and handicapped housing at Hixson Farm Road and its six family apartments on Pleasant Street. A \$60,000. modernization grant from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Communities and Development (EOCD) resulted in the repair and repainting of the siding on our original 64 units, the second painting since the original 1975 construction. At the end of 1987 another EOCD modernization grant of \$106,904. was awarded to fund other maintenance requirements in these buildings.

In its continuing efforts to work with the town to secure affordable housing, in October the Housing Authority arranged a tour of the former Wilbur and Intermediate School Building with representatives of the EOCD development bureau and members of Sharon town government to explore

possible planning funds for the future use of the building. However, this effort and other communication with town government have not yet resulted in the inclusion of the Housing Authority, with its possible access to funding, on any committees working on the revitalization of the site.

During 1987, further site work went on for the planned Chapter 689 group home for autistic children to be construction with a \$180,000. state grant in cooperation with the May Institute of Chatham, Massachusetts.

The management of our publicly supported housing is operated by a dedicated, competent staff headed by Carolyn Falby, its full time Executive Director. She is assisted by Billie Williams in the office, maintenance supervisor Charles Garnhum, and maintenance assistant George Allen. Our attorney, Frank Sullivan, continues to provide sound advice and support.

Our active Tenants Organization, led by its spirited president, Matilda Cohen, held a very successful fund raising campaign which resulted in the air conditioning of the community building at Hixson Farm Road. The tenants' activities were enhanced by the donation of a piano by Mr. and Mrs. Russell White. Outside, the Sharon Garden Club workers continued their faithful, semi-annual spruce-up of the grounds. All of these contributions are much appreciated by both residents and staff.

Jason Waldman, a much valued member of the Board, chose not to seek reelection in 1987. Jacqueline Little was welcomed to his former seat on the Authority after her election in April. As a town-elected arm of the state government, the Sharon Housing Authority continues to serve the needs for public housing without requiring any direct financial support from town tax revenue.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Benjamin E. Puritz, Health Agent
Edward Connelly, Assistant Health Agent
Joan Spano, R.N., Public Health Nurse
Kristine Heck, R.N.
Elyse Schneider, R.N.
Linda Rosen, Secretary

Communicable diseases reported to the Board of Health in 1987 were:

Animal Bites	4	Lyme Disease	1
Chickenpox	3	Campylobacter Jejune	1
Salmonella	11	Pertussis	1
Legionella Pneumophila	1	TB (Class II-No Disease)	6
Hepatitis-B	1		

Permits and licenses are issued by the Board of Health for the following: keeping of animals (subject to approval of the Animal Inspector); caterers; manufacture and sale of ice cream; pasteurization

and/or sale of milk; motels; camps; operation of retail food establishments; temporary food service; semi-public pools (all under supervision of Sanitarian); giving of massages; transportation of offal; dumpster permits; pesticide applicators; underground storage of hazardous materials and regulated substances (all subject to approval of Health Agent). In 1987 a total of \$1,930.94 was turned in to the Treasurer through receipts for these licenses and permits.

The Board of Health is responsible for determining the eligibility of disabled or handicapped citizens, as well as that of senior citizens (based upon income) for town-sponsored refuse collection. Fifty-seven residents were approved for this service for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1987.

The Department also participates in various health-oriented projects by providing information to the public, such as the annual American Cancer Society "Great American Smokeout" and the Massachusetts Passenger Safety Program "Make it Click - Buckle Up."

The Public Health Nursing Department of the Board of Health furnishes various services to Sharon residents. Regularly scheduled office hours offer a variety of health promotion needs to mobile residents. These services include immunizations, blood pressure screening, blood sugar monitoring, referrals, counseling. In 1987 a total of 1,046 office visits took place.

For those residents unable to come to the Town Office Building for evaluation, home visits for assessment and health promotion are made on a monthly basis or as needed. In addition, terminal care and support has been offered to families providing care at home to a family member who is gravely ill. During 1987 a total of 484 home visits were made.

During the fall, flu clinics were offered at various locations and times. A total of 647 residents were immunized against influenza, 28 received pneumonia immunization.

Monthly blood pressure and blood sugar screening continues to be offered at Bayberry Drive, Hixson Farm Road, and Stonybrook Court. In 1987 801 senior citizens participated in blood pressure screenings at these clinics. With the support of an additional nurse, 341 residents were monitored for blood sugar levels.

Maternal-newborn home visits are also provided to Sharon residents. Referrals are made by hospitals once the newborn infant has been discharged from the hospital. A total of 56 referrals were made by various hospitals during 1987.

Immunizations and allergy injections continue to be offered on Tuesday afternoons and Friday mornings, when physician coverage is available through Dr. Steven Ross, in case of emergency. A total of 63 immunizations were provided during 1987 for patients ages four and older against the following: diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, measles, mumps, rubella, and polio. In addition, 169 Mantoux tuberculin tests were given (free of charge) for tuberculosis screening. Many of those tested were

volunteers planning to work in the Sharon school system.

The Nursing Department participates in various community programs and groups. Some of these activities during 1987 included: assisting in organizing building of a ramp for a handicapped resident; participating in a babysitting course at the Sharon Public Library; meeting with firemen from surrounding towns to discuss universal precautions for disease prevention as first responders to accidents; attending various AIDS education programs; providing a first-aid course for the Sharon Cooperative Nursing School; working with local organizations and town employees on collections for needy families for Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays; assisting in arranging nursing coverage for the Lions Club Eyemobile.

The Town of Sharon provides certified Home Health Services to Medicare and Medicaid recipients and other eligible persons by a contractual agreement with the Walpole Area Visiting Nurse Association. The town also provides outpatient mental health services through Cutler Counselling Center by an annual allocation to the Norfolk Mental Health Association.

PUBLIC HEALTH PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY BOARD

The primary function of the Professional Advisory Board is that of liaison between the public and the Board of Selectmen (which is also the Board of Health), providing a professional resource to the Board of Selectmen in matters pertaining to the public health of the community. The Advisory Board includes interested citizens with professional expertise in many varied facets of health-related subjects.

The membership roster, with each member's field of expertise, was as follows:

Stanley Rosen, RPH, MHA, Chairman	Hospital Administrator
Jay Schwab, DMD, Vice Chairman	Pedodontist
Robert Currie	Banker
Ellen Kawadler, RNC, ANP	Cert. Nurse Practitioner
Arthur Haymes, MD	Gynecologist
Marvin Hertzels, OD	Optometrist
Robert Lapuck, M.Sc., DC	Chiropractor
Vicki Anderson	Speech Pathologist
Gregory A. Offringa, LICSW	Psychotherapist

From its very inception in 1966 through a vote of town meeting, the Professional Advisory Board has striven to maintain the highest possible level of health standards. The Board's activity now involves cooperative efforts with other town boards and committees such as the Lake Management Committee, the Engineering Department, the Department of Public Works, the Youth Commission, and the School Department.

The major Board activity during 1987 was to review the IEP Aquifer Protection Study; specifically its recommendations for a town-wide septic system maintenance program. Representatives of IEP provided an overview of the planned program and responded to questions and concerns of the Board. The Board also met several times with Jim Miller, Town Engineer, to further discuss these recommendations and to provide input into Mr. Miller's rewriting of the Board of Health Regulations on Subsurface Disposal Regulations. All members agreed with Mr. Miller that a mandatory pumping (every two to three years) was desirable. As a preventative measure, this would decrease the failure rate of systems and, in addition, would reduce nutrients feeding into Lake Massapoag, thereby protecting the lake. The Board agreed with Mr. Miller, however, that the IEP recommended inspection program would not be cost-effective.

Some discussions of radon took place as a result of inquiries by the press. The Board determined that the radon issue is more of a regional or state-wide matter. The Health Department has informational materials on radon and radon-testing equipment available for any interested residents.

The Advisory Board continued to monitor activities of the Sanitarian. It was requested that the Sanitarian obtain from all Sharon camps, at their pre-season inspection each June, proof of recent septic tank pumping.

Resulting from the Town Engineer's questioning the lack of clear regulations regarding construction or upkeep of private wells, Rob Lapuck presented his draft for proposed well regulations for the town, based upon regulations in twelve other Massachusetts towns. Jim Miller reviewed these regulations and suggested various modifications; Vicki Anderson provided research data to delineate the criteria for high-risk wells and to recommend frequency of testing. By year's end, the well regulations were almost completed and ready to be presented to the Board of Health for approval.

The Advisory Board continued its active interest in the health education programs provided in the Sharon Public Schools. Further discussions were held with Rick Hawkins, Ed.D., Coordinator of Health Education for the schools, regarding some of the changes and new programs implemented and planned for various grade levels.

Later in the year the Advisory Board became aware of the need for additional resources to the adolescent population of the community. Stan Rosen and Greg Offringa formed a subcommittee to discuss this situation with Eileen Fitzgerald, Human Adjustment Counselor at Sharon High, and Robert Doyle, Director of Pupil Personnel Services. Ms. Fitzgerald expressed her grave concerns over her ability to efficiently and adequately treat the growing population of students who are experiencing moderate to severe psychological problems and/or family difficulties. This problem has been compounded by the fact that the position of Community Youth Worker has remained vacant since last spring. It was noted that Sharon is not unique in these problems, that they do not exist to any greater degree than in towns of similar socio-economic structure. With the approval of the Board of Health, the sub-committee planned to meet with representatives of the School Department and School Committee to

effect a joint effort in attacking this problem. One of the sub-committee suggestions was to recommend three part-time positions under the designation of Human Adjustment Counselor, all of which should be held by either a LICSW or psychologist. Further discussions will evaluate and explore other possible resolutions to the problem.

The Professional Advisory Board will continue to provide integral input for the Board of Health in a variety of health related matters.

SANITARIAN

Jack L. Lapuck, Sc.D., R.S.
Certified Health Officer

Weekly laboratory tests were performed by the Sanitarian on all Lake Massapoag swimming areas from June to September in order to ensure safe public swimming; in addition, testing was performed on all semi-public pools within the town. Inspection of the lakefront refreshment stand and restroom facilities was ongoing throughout the swimming season.

Prior to the opening of the camping season all camps located in the town were visited by the Sanitarian to determine compliance with the State Sanitary Code. All camps located in Sharon are now required to provide proof of recent pumping of their septic systems. Visits were made to camps during the camping season to ensure continuation of sanitation standards.

Registration and routine inspection of all establishments providing catering services within the town was ongoing, to assure compliance with the State Sanitary Code.

Sanitation audits of school cafeteria food service practices were made routinely throughout the school year. The School Department has always been cooperative in working with the Health Department; accordingly, wholesome food is prepared and served in a healthful environment.

All retail food establishments were inspected routinely for sanitary compliance, and were re-registered according to law. All food service establishments were regularly inspected for conformance with Title 10 of the State Sanitary Code, and also were relicensed according to law.

All preconstruction plans for new food service and retail food establishments were reviewed and the appropriate changes were made to ensure compliance with Chapter 10 of the State Sanitary Code. New establishments opening in 1987 included Lenzzy's Deli, the Brass Kettle Restaurant, and the new SuperShaw's.

All public health complaints made to the department were thoroughly investigated.

VETERANS' SERVICES

Paul R. Bergeron, Director

Veterans' Agent

The Veterans' Agent provided financial assistance to needy Sharon veterans and their families under the provisions of Chapter 115, Massachusetts General Laws.

Veterans' Services

Veterans' Services were provided to all Sharon veterans and/or their immediate families. These services are primarily oriented toward informing, advising, and assisting veterans and their families in obtaining benefits offered by state and federal agencies. Some of the benefits are related to vocational and educational opportunities, hospitalization, medical care, pension, home loans, burial allowances and grave markers.

During 1987 a guest speaker program continued and a health fair free of charge was conducted.

The Memorial Day Parade included members from the three Sharon Veterans' organizations and the Sharon Police Department. The Canton American Legion Band, Foxboro VFW, Stoughton Vietnam Era Veterans and the South Shore Post No. 2 U.S. Veterans Vietnam Era Veterans assisted in making the Memorial Day ceremonies a success.

The First Congregational Church of Sharon offered a Veterans' Day Service in which veterans and their families participated.

Veterans' Graves

All known veterans' graves located in Sharon were visited. These graves were found to be suitably kept and cared for as required by state law.

As part of the Memorial Day observance, a United States flag and a flower were placed at each grave site. Again, as part of the Veterans' Day observance, each site was visited for the purpose of replacing a United States flag which may have been damaged. The placement of flowers and flags was done by members, family members and auxiliary of the Sharon American Legion, Sharon Jewish War Veterans' and the Sharon Veterans' of Foreign Wars.

CAPITAL OUTLAY COMMITTEE

Allen Garf, Chairman

Capital requests from the various town departments, boards and

committees for the next five years were as follows:

FY '89	FY '90	FY '91	FY '92	FY '93
\$3,200,000.	\$8,425,000.	\$978,000.	\$754,000.	\$735,000.

Since it is the town standard to limit capital borrowing so that the interest and principal payment (debt) does not exceed 6% of the operating budget, it was voted to approve borrowing in FY '89 in the reduced amount of \$1,065,000. (estimated to be within the 6%).

In order to deal with the pressing need to cap the landfill (\$550,000.) and build a fire sub-station (\$550,000.), we recommend that the Selectmen place on the May 1988 ballot items which would exclude the debt for these two projects from the Proposition 2 1/2 tax limit. In other words, increase taxes to pay for the landfill and fire sub-station and thereby not affect the 6% limit.

Details of the proposed FY '89 capital budget will be in the 1988 Annual Town warrant. The FY '90 through FY '93 request will be addressed next year. However, in order to stay within the 6% standard, borrowing will have to be limited to about \$1,000,000. a year, or we will have to find other means of raising funds or alternatives to spending the money.

HISTORICAL COMMISSION
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

William B. Crawford, Chairman
John A. Newell, Vice Chairman
Catherine Cartwright, Secretary
Chandler W. Jones
Eleanor Herberger

Alternate Members

Sydney S. Morgan

Herbert L. Gagnon

Edward Lyons

In 1987 the state legislature, for the third consecutive year, allowed a bill significant to all Massachusetts towns and cities to die with the end of the legislative year. The bill would establish the status of Historic Landmark for buildings or sites outside the Historic District of a town or city which would call attention to the significance of the building and provide review procedures whenever the property might be swept away by commercial development or highway widening. In Sharon we have at least three such buildings, the Cobb's Tavern on Bay Road, Stoneholm at the corner of East and Ames Streets, and the Job Swift house on Mountain Street. The last report of 1987 advised that the bill "died in the Senate Ways and Means Committee." The Massachusetts Historical Commission is the sponsor of the bill, which will be reintroduced in the 1988 session.

Assisting town and city Historic Commissions is the statewide,

non-profit organization called Historic Massachusetts, Inc. It sponsors three or four day-long conferences each year which are devoted solely to problems of preservation and restoration, the latter usually at a college with courses in these fields. One Sharon Commission member attended the April meeting in Worcester. Subjects covered were pertinent to current aspects of Historic Commission endeavors. In addition to quarterly up-dates on current matters, Historic Massachusetts issues periodic information on immediate actions available to local Historic Commissions. For FY 1988, allocations of over one million dollars in matching funds have been provided for preservation projects throughout the state such as the Quaker Meeting House, Adams; Boston Edison's Brockton Illuminating and Electric Power Station; a Civil War Monument, Fitchburg; Fort Washington Park ornamental iron fence, Cambridge; and others.

Locally, the Congregational Church adopted a suggestion of the Historic District Commission and made the identification sign on the Church lawn more compatible with the church building. The Unitarian Church (also in the Historic District) has improved its property on the Depot Street side, and plans are pending to resurface the driveway and extend the parking area on the north side of the church building.

In May/June a conference on the care and preservation of cemeteries was attended by Sharon's Superintendent of Public Works, John Sulik, as he has the responsibility for Sharon cemeteries.

A meeting with the Selectmen concerning the FY '89 budget was reported by the Patriot Ledger. As a result six residents volunteered assistance on the re-doing of Sharon's inventory of historic houses of the 1750-1850 period. This project will move ahead in 1988. Reports of any seriously deteriorating old houses of town-wide significance may and should be reported to the Historical Commission.

TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY BOARD

David A. Bohn, Chairman
Jack Albert
Mitchell S. Blaustein
Ross B. Dindio
Earl Gashin

Over the past year, the Transportation Advisory Board was active on a number of issues related to the town's transportation system. This report summarizes the accomplishments and highlights the important transportation related activities which occurred in 1987.

MBTA Service

As a result of the significant growth experienced along the MBTA's commuter rail service, as well as changes made in the operations of the rail system, rail service to Sharon deteriorated from past years. The new relocated Orange line reopened in 1987 and trains were shifted back to the

southwest corridor alignment in the fall, along with the reopening of rail service to Needham. Finally, continuing construction at South Station restricted train traffic at the commuter rail service to the town. Delays and missed trips increased and most peak period trains operated under "standing room only" conditions.

The news is not all bad, however, in that the MBTA has been working hard to make improvements to the situation. In addition to finally receiving long awaited new equipment in 1988 (coaches and engines), the MBTA is working on schedule improvements. It should be noted that the canopies on both sides of the tracks were repaired in 1987.

Last year we reported on a dramatic decrease in vandalism at the railroad station. We are happy to report that vandalism and theft remained at low levels, due in part to the continuous spot patrolling by the Sharon Police Department. Soon, due to an agreement with Cablevision, there also will be video surveillance equipment at the station so the lot can be monitored directly from the Police Station on South Main Street.

One of the major initiatives taken by the STAB was to improve the parking situation at the Sharon station. Based on surveys conducted in December, it was found that there is a considerable amount of illegal parking, and the demand greatly exceeds supply. The Board prepared a written report on its findings, identifying numerous improvement options, and has submitted it to the Selectmen for their review and action in early 1988.

Intersection and Parking Improvements

The long-awaited street repairs at four intersections in town are about completed. Only a limited number of problems occurred during the construction phase and all were finally worked out. The Committee has heard only positive feedback about the nearly completed project. The fears of tie ups at the new traffic lights and congestion at the parking lots never materialized.

The new municipal parking lot behind the stores in Post Office Square, as well as an additional lot opened next to Thayer Pharmacy, has more than made up for the lost spaces in the Square. Unfortunately, the conveniences of the closer, on-street spaces will be missed. The town and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works are to be commended for implementing these improvements.

Cobb's Corner Study

In response to the request of the Towns of Sharon, Canton and Stoughton, the Massachusetts Department of Public Works has initiated a study of Cobb's Corner. Although the DPW's study was not complete by year's end, it is expected soon thereafter. The STAB looks forward to the formulation of a traffic improvement plan which can be implemented in a cooperative fashion by all three towns.

Miscellaneous Items

The Committee this year has volunteered to work with town boards and departments reviewing traffic sign requests and changes. We anticipate looking into complaints and requests for stop and other traffic control signs. One area already looked at by the STAB is the placement of on-street handicapped parking spaces in the center of town.

Deterioration of the Depot Street bridge has continued. The sidewalk on the bridge's south side was finally fixed while falling debris under the bridge is being looked at by the state. Our local community leaders have been advised that this bridge has been placed higher on the state's priority listing and that further bridge repairs are currently under study. Improvements to the staircase have been made again as well.

Funding for roadway repairs in Sharon continues to be insufficient, due in part to the town's financial problems. It appears that the town is being forced to defer needed maintenance. This approach will undoubtedly cost more in the long run.

Finally, the STAB has continued to be the recipient of ongoing correspondence with the Joint Regional Transportation Committee.

In September the STAB held its annual election of officers. At that time David A. Bohn was voted Chairman and Earl Gashin was elected Secretary.

NORFOLK COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

John J. Smith, Superintendent

The Operational Project Program integrates all proven technologies into a system of mosquito control that is rational, safe, effective and economically feasible.

All mosquito eggs need water to hatch and to sustain larval growth.

Source Reduction Work: Our primary efforts are concentrated on the draining of shallow, standing, stagnant water, and the maintenance of existing flow systems which contribute to mosquito breeding sources.

Brush obstructing drainage cut	775 feet
Drainage construction by wide-track backhoe	1,114 feet

Larviciding: Treatment of mosquito larvae during aquatic development is the next most effective control effort.

Larvicide by backpack and mistblowers	215 acres
Catch basin larvicide application	370 count

Adulticiding: The suppression of flying adult mosquitoes becomes necessary when they are numerous, annoying, or threatening to residents.

Adulticide with mistblowers	244 acres
Adulticide U.L.V. from trucks	7,168 acres

Surveys, inspections and monitoring in support of our programs include locating and mapping breeding areas, larval and adult collections, and fieldwork evaluations leading to better drainage.

The Project received 180 calls from residents for information and assistance.

NORFOLK MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.

Thomas F. Doherty, Ph.D, Director of Services
John J. Sheingold, Director of Finance

The Norfolk Mental Health Association is a private non-profit corporation governed by a citizen Board of Directors who represent each of the twelve towns in its service area: Canton, Dedham, Foxborough, Medfield, Millis, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Sharon, Walpole, Westwood and Wrentham.

The major programs of the Norfolk Mental Health Association available to Sharon residents are:

Cutler Counseling Center, which has a large multi-disciplinary staff serving individuals, couples, and families. Services include evaluation, referral, treatment, educational and support groups (e.g. Widowed Lifeline, Senior Care Program, Gym Program for Children, Social Rehabilitation, Divorce-Separation Workshops, Stress Management, Alcohol and Substance Abuse), children and adolescent groups, parent-toddler groups, as well as consultation and training services to community agencies, schools and local industries.

Project Hire, a sheltered vocational rehabilitation facility for people with emotional, developmental or physical handicaps. Programs include diagnostic evaluations, electronic skill training, work adjustment training and counseling, sheltered long-term employment, and transitional employment and job placement.

Parent-Aide Program, offering trained and supervised volunteer aides who provide one-to-one help to clients in the community, families and individuals in crisis, victims of domestic violence, parents at risk of abusing and neglecting their children.

Community Education Programs, offering speakers for community meetings, workshops, consultation and educational materials.

During FY 1987, Cutler Counseling Center provided direct services to approximately 123 people from Sharon. The total value of these services was \$11,600., of which the town of Sharon allocated \$7,628.

In the past year, people from Sharon who came to us for assistance

were often referred by friends, neighbors, family, clergy, school, physicians, or community agencies. The most common requests for help concerned such problems as depression and anxiety, difficulties in marriage or family relations, school or behavior related problems, alcohol or drug abuse, work related problems, and acute or chronic mental illness.

The Norfolk Mental Health Association Board of Directors includes George B. Bailey, Beatrice S. Kitchen and Loretta S. O'Brien from Sharon.

SELF HELP INCORPORATED

Ulysses G. Shelton, Jr., Executive Director

Marie Levenson, Sharon Representative, Board of Directors

Self-Help, Inc. is greater Brockton's and Attleboro's antipoverty agency dedicated to improving the quality of life of limited income individuals and families, and making all segments of the community responsive to the needs of the limited income, disadvantaged and minority population.

During the program year ending September 30, 1987, Self Help received a total funding of \$11.6 million and provided 476,669 direct services to the area's limited income individuals and families. 1,492 Sharon residents received 1,492 direct services totaling \$83,868. during the program year.

The total funding of \$11,639,819. does not tell the real value of human services delivered to the area as a whole. Self Help's funding enabled us to mobilize an additional \$917,512. of other community resources such as Commonwealth Service Corp. and local cities and town contributions as well as volunteers. The gross volume of Self Help during the past program year was approximately \$12.6 million.

Self Help currently employs 260 individuals, many of whom are limited income and minorities.

We feel the program year was a successful one for Self Help, Inc., and very helpful to our limited income population. We thank the area's mayors, boards of selectmen, town volunteers and Marie Levenson of the Board of Directors, for helping to make our program year so successful.

MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

George B. Bailey, Designee

To adequately represent the Board of Selectmen on the Advisory Board, one must balance the need for improved public transportation in the region

with the fiscal constraints of the town (as well as the state) budget. The Advisory Board-approved T budget for FY 1989 increased the FY 1988 expenditures by 10.4%, the result of several additional services opened in FY 1987 - the Orange Line through the Southwest Corridor and the Needham commuter-rail branch. Proposition 2 1/2 constraints limited the assessment to the 78 cities and towns in the district to \$110,170,874.54, 0.29% of which is Sharon's share. The remainder will be provided by the Commonwealth from general revenues. This year the state share is such that all the cities and towns of the Commonwealth share in the costs of nearly 2/3 of the T budget.

The Advisory Board made cuts from the Commuter Rail budget but these were not expected to effect the level of service provided as they were based on the improved productivity achieved with the AMTRAK contract, now entering its second year.

The present fare recovery ratio is 3 to 5 percentage points below that of rapid transit and bus service, or less than 25% of the cost. Accordingly, the board adopted the recommendation of the Budget Committee that a 25 cent per ride increase be levied by January, 1989, calculated to yield a 30% ratio at a time when the present overcrowded conditions could be ending with the arrival of 65 new MBS and 39 Bombardier passenger cars.

The station parking problem, long critical in Sharon, is now recognized system-wide. Funding for major additions require capital expenditures, some of which are incorporated in the Governor's Transportation Bond Issue now under consideration in the legislature. The MAPC has submitted a bill requesting funds for a study to project long term needs for peripheral parking in the region. One solution, both to the need for opening up parking areas, properly policing them, and raising additional revenues has been discussed by the Commuter Rail Committee. Assessing a parking fee slightly lower than those in effect at the new T garages would unquestionably provide much needed operating funds for the station facilities, better security and utilization of the available spaces.

The Board's Commuter Rail Committee met several times during the year. Sharon's representative continues to chair that Committee, and in the fall was appointed Chairman of the Board's personnel committee by Advisory Board Chairman Mayor Eugene Brune of Somerville, then holding several meetings to update the salary schedule for board employees and assist the Director in interviewing candidates for Assistant Director-Budget Analyst. Sharon is also a member of the UMTA-funded Study Review Committee which is reviewing alternative ways of funding the MBTA. Final recommendations will be available for public discussion in FY 1989.

While the service is expected to improve with the arrival of additional equipment, demands of the new Providence service as well as the Needham branch will effect Sharon. Reactivation of the East Foxboro station stop would benefit Sharon by diverting users to the south from our station. Expansion of the existing parking facilities along lines suggested by the Sharon Transportation Advisory Board would also help. The MBTA has shown an interest in working with the Selectmen to address service levels and parking problems.

METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COUNCIL

George B. Bailey, Representative

MAPC, the regional planning agency for the Boston Metro area, survives the Reagan era with a small state funding, a few grants, and a per capita levy on the 101 cities and towns in the region. It has never been empowered to actually "plan," since planning without the power to implement is merely forecasting. Forecasting is, however, a highly valuable tool, which is far more usefully executed at the regional level than locally. For example, the town's School Classroom Assessment Committee contracted with MAPC to review Sharon's growth in sufficient detail to determine what, if any, need existed for additional classrooms and at what grade level. The MAPC's final report "Beyond Capacity: Accommodating Growth in Sharon Schools" was received this year (May 1987) and has not been challenged.

The Council held three full meetings during the year: two in Boston; and published several how-to manuals such as "The Catalog of Techniques for Preserving Housing Affordability," a compilation of methods that towns may consider implementing to preserve affordable housing stock; and "The Growth Management Catalog," a reference book describing more than 40 techniques, regulations, programs and services for managing growth.

The Council also compiled and developed the "MAPC 1987 Sites Survey Update," a complete, current listing of vacant commercial and industrial sites in the MAPC region. It may be used for either planning for or promoting locations for new development.

The representative has informed the Town Engineer and the Superintendent of Public Works of the MAPC's "Pavement Management Manual" and its recently developed Micro-computer software "Pavement Management Forecasting Model" to improve methods for analyzing road reconstruction and maintenance needs.

The Selectmen received a firsthand report on Impact Fee Assessment from a staff member in the fall, part of the Council's ongoing program of addressing means of assessing developers for costs directly related to their projects. The programs discussed so far are, in this representative's view, limited because they cannot extend beyond the town boundary.

An area of failure has been the unwillingness of the Council (governed by a majority of Executive Committee members) to back the Land Bank Bill which offers municipalities a means of acquiring much needed open space as well as land or buildings for affordable housing, if they choose to exercise the option.

In twenty-one years as the town's representative to MAPC, I have witnessed and been part of a roller-coaster ride role for the agency, peaking in 1976-7 when federally funded studies on water and air pollution, along with major transportation programs, were remaking the Boston region, then diminishing to a level of less than one quarter of that level in recent years. The change in fortunes has brought some benefits: increased awareness for local concerns, and mounting evidence that the current laissez-faire approach to regional issues spells long term difficulties, or worse, for Massachusetts and our region.

BIRTHS REGISTERED

1987

DATE	CHILD'S NAME	PARENTS' NAMES
January		
2	Benjamin David Zelman	Martin Ira, Doborah Muliman
5	Lina Maria Kazakaitis	Alvydas Vincent, Danute
6	Kylee Ann Decoste	Robert William, Carolyn Ann
9	Rebecca Michaela Taskin	Howard Eliot, Ingrid M.
9	Raegan McKenzie Ring	Charles Richard, Susan C.
15	Jamie Nicole Whiting	Tod Eric, Cheryl-Ann
16	Stephanie Marie Bryne	James, Linda Heath
19	Alese Azalea Sadler	Thomas Irwin, Audrey Alice
20	Thomas Jeffrey Carnevale	Jeffrey Phillip, Barbara Fay
20	Caitlin Elizabeth Murphy	Matthew Thomas, Pamela Jean
21	Alex Hunter Sobelman	Marc Allen, Kathleen
22	Louis Tuttle Bonitto, III	Louis Tuttle, Jr., Karen Ann
24	James Michael Lawrence Abber	Alan J., Patricia A.
28	Justin Skalsky Glincher	Andrew Ira, Marjorie Skalsky
29	Adrienne Stinnette Shears	Bradley Thurston, Carla V.
February		
1	Jennifer Ann Lindberg	James Robert, Maria Ann
7	Aliza Rosenblum Wolfe	Murray Michael, Barbara Ann
9	Meredith Jill Caplan	Clifford Laurence, Amy Jo
10	Erica Leigh Snyder	Larry Martin, Ellen Mae
13	Matthew Brian Band	Robert Alan, Dianne Marie
13	Jacquelyn Elise Moore	Edward Henry, Gail Susan
17	Jason Adam Girard	Paul Loren, Ellen Charncy
19	Marisa Stephanie Blaustein	Mitchell, Hollie Susan
20	Laura Elizabeth Shea	Ralph Joseph, Gayle Christine
23	Analisa Vaz Costa	Manuel, Anna
25	Mark Daniel Christman	Kevin Mark, Marianne
25	Marc Benjamin Liner	Stephen Robert, Susan Ellen
March		
1	Justin Noah Levi	Reuven, Susan Renee
1	Cayce Anne Lannon	Christopher F., Margaret M.
1	Michael Christopher Lannon	Christopher F., Margaret M.
4	Carey Machin	Nigel Christopher, Lesley Ann
5	Brian Vinh Dang Hoang	Con, Thoi Thi
6	Katherine Anne Blau	Scott Michael, Karen E.
7	Elysa Jana Lencz	Larry Armand, Darlene Joy
8	Gary Michael Bobst, Jr.	Gary Michael, Patricia Ann
9	Adam Scott Van Dam	Eliot Martin, Caryn Beth
10	Nosson Meir Chaim Lerner	Simcha Yitzchak, Devorah Liba
11	Adam Nathaniel Berman	Marvin David, Ronna Diane
12	Devin Robert Connors	Robert Francis, Jr., Susan
14	Jennifer Marie Bethoney	Wayne Michael, Ann Marie
15	Erin Louise Ficarra	John Joseph, Sherin Louise
16	James Edward Carlson	James Leslie, Elena Marie
17	Jeremy Lawrence Zenlea	Steven Scott, Sara Marcy

MARCH (continued)

19	Daniel Scott Goldenberg	Robert Francis, Jr., Susan
22	Athena Marie Wisotsky	Serge Sercius, Donna Jency
23	Laura Beth Kirshner	Barry Edward, Roberta Ann
30	Zachery Daniel Andrews	James Russell, Lisa Jeanne
30	David Mark Fine	Michael William, Stephanie R.

APRIL

2	McKenzie Marie Flynn	Joseph Edward, Nancy Shadley
4	Rachel Michele Davis	Howard Stephen, Rhonda Beth
7	Ilana Dara Fishman	Bruce Steven, Karen Betty
7	Zachariah Adam Dovner	Gerald Alan, Vickie Lear
8	Adrienne Leigh Greenstein	Eric Ira, Debra Ann
9	Nicholas Alexander Moser	David Alexander, Kathryne K.
10	Jonathan Silver Schoenfeld	Sam, Laurie Ann
13	Megan Laurel Patrick	Michael David, Sr., Lori Ann
16	David Charles Cremer	Stephen Mark, Sandra Louise
16	Cory Michael McCue	Leo William, Michelle Anne
19	Kevin Patrick Tracy	John Farrell, Jr., Denise
19	Amelia Molinda Nebenzaho	Andrew David, Susan Aileen
20	Daniel Jacob Aschaffenburg	David Otto, Bryna Jeanne
23	Marisa Debra Glick	Herbert Barry, Elaine Simmons
27	Michael David Eisenman	Leonard O., Rosalind M.

MAY

1	Jared Michael Green	Richard Michael, Lynda Marie
1	Ellen Jessica Lapuck	Robert Arthur, Lisa Marjory
3	Alexa Fay Heitman	Wayne Arnold, Ellen Sue
3	Jordan Joseph Nance	Arthur Gene, Deborah Schott
4	Ben D. Berkowitz	Lee Jerold, Cheryl Mae
4	Mose Z. Berkowitz	Lee Jerold, Cheryl Mae
4	Abra S. Berkowitz	Lee Jerold, Cheryl Mae
6	Mattye Louise Dewhirst	Joseph Richard, Alyda V.
7	Alexandra Ruth Lipton	Howard Jeffrey, Susan Slavet
9	Samantha Rae Hirsh	Stephen Robert, Eileen
9	Stephanie Lynn Ross	Richard Pat, Jo Ellen
10	Caitlyn McSweeney	Edward John, Nancy Christine
11	Erica Paige Young	Elihu Mark, Janis Faye
12	Michael Gordon Colassi	Alfred James, Jr., Marci Faye
14	Jessica Leigh Krot	Nicholas Joseph, Denise M.
17	John David Alden	Peter Harrison, Arlyn Freeman
17	Rachel Sarah Dill	Marvin Howard, Joan Peta
18	Christopher Michael Palermo	Michael John, Wendy Ann
22	Zachary Ross Casso	Alan, Catherine
26	Taryn Nicole Baglino	Michael Andrew, Michele Lee
26	Kristin Ann Hemphill	Robert Bloker, Katherine Ann
28	Samuel Robert Koval	Steven Roy, Leslie Shafer
28	Matthew Prewitt Eiland	Howard Avery, Julia Prewitt
29	Jessica Lynne Levine	Eric Roy, Debra Ruth
29	Alexandra Jeanne Boeri	David Joseph, Hilary Islay
29	Shane Derrick O'Brien	Glen Francis, Rosemary L.
30	Robert Burrage O'Connor	Thomas Neal, Julie Young

JUNE

2	Emma Katherine Marsters Dill	Stephen Ray, Abibail Allen
2	Jennifer Lyn Cosgrove	Michael Edward, Amy Robin
2	Melissa Ann Cosgrove	Michael Edward, Amy Robin
11	Benjamin Peter Koretz	Michael Paul, Evelyn Rachel
12	Eric Carter Bayer	William Theodore III, Elaine
12	Kyle Adams Bayer	William Theodore III, Elaine
15	David Aaron Beckerman	Marc Lewis, Randi Beth
23	Elise Ann Herrig	Russell Lee, Nancy Jo
23	David Louis Brown	Barry Lawrence, Tamar Nathan
25	Jeffrey Scott Narkiewicz	John Leonard, Karen Beth
26	Andrew Elliot Dunning	Robert Edward, Catherine Rose
28	Ashley Monique Barron	Gregory Paul, Carol Ann
29	Courtney Rae Ramsey	Robert Randolph, Renee Lynn
30	Joshua Adam Rotman	Ernest Kenneth, Leslee Karen

JULY

2	Matthew Benjamin Rovaldi	Don Andrew, Carol Ann
3	Lauren Nicole Milbury	Roy Standly, Irene
5	Christopher Philip Czupryna	Gerald, Mary Theresa
5	Nathaneal Harris Levine	Leonard, Laina Elise
5	Seth Jared Guzovsky	Daniel Martin, Barrie Paula
5	Eli Maxwell Bossin	Michael Ian, Rosella Ann
6	Daniel Joseph Magro	Anthony, Kathleen Anne
7	Elyse Linnea Peterson	Roland Eric, Janna Leigh
8	Ari Lev Shiffrin	Stephen Barry, Anna Boyar
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21	Adam Gabriel Sosin	Michael David, Ellen Levy

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18	Daniel Joseph Radovsky	David Cort, Deborah
25	Scott Michael Whiffen	Lewis James Jr., Donna Marie
29	Lauren Elaine Johnson	Jeffrey Alan, Catherine E.

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13	Allyson Lauren Goode	Jeffrey Paul, Susan Ann
13	Angelo Patsios	Lazaros, Eva
18	Charles William Beaumont	John Eric, Judith Lee
22	George Matthew Weiffenbach	George Thomas, Cynthia Saxe
23	Francis Sylvester McDonnell IV	Francis Sylvester II, Sharon
29	Tony Michael Leitos	Scott Michael, Leann
29	Erik Henry Golden	William Michael, Joanne Marie
30	Melissa Carter Lindsay	Leonard Christopher, Doreen

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7	Dominique Pauline Giannangelo	Dominic Lawrence, Karen S.
8	Daniel Valentine Fein	David Allen, Sarah Ruth
12	Cory Russell Greenfield	Allan William, Judith Lavon
13	Sarah Jean Caldwell	Clinton Roy, Christina Marie
14	Jason Warren Madden	Charles Thomas, Lauren F.
26	Joseph Jerone Piccirilli	John, Dolores Emily
27	Andrew Michael Horan	Kenneth Walter, Karen Marie
29	Erika Theresa Cornetta	Gary Steven, Linda Ann

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25	Jessica Melanie Lord	Jeffrey Walter, Nancy Sue
27	Jonathan Harris Neipris	Steven Gary, Deborah Ruth
28	Mary Elizabeth Dallaire	David Gerard, Regina Marie

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Affirmative Action Committee	Vishvanath Iyer, Chairman	
	Richard E. Escobar	
	Corrine Hershman	
	Florence Kates Shrier	
Appeals Board	Henry Katz, Chairman	1988
	Thomas A. Karp	1990
	Bernard Libon	1988
Alternates:	E. David Levy	1988
	Walter Newman	1989
	Robert A. Shelmerdine	1990
Arts Council	Sandra Chiller	1988
	Kathleen Condon	1989
	Bruce M. Creditor	1988
	Donna Heiken	1988
	Tina Koppel	1988
	Donald C. Taber	1989
Assessors	Robert A. Merritt, Chairman	1988
	Ellen W. Abelson	1989
	Paula Keefe	1990
Assistant Assessor:	Robert Kubera	
Building Inspector	Robert Bender	
Assistant:	B. Lawrence, Jr.	
Capital Outlay Committee	Allen Garf, Chairman	
	George B. Bailey	
	Michael L. Cook	
	Harold M. Fienberg	
	Corrine Hershman	
	Bruce Luchner	
	Richard Rabatsky	
	Frank M. Savino	
Civil Defense	Bernard M. Rosenberg, Director	
Conservation Commission	Margaret Arguimbau, Chairman	1990
	Janice Adler	1989
	Thomas F. Cheyer	1988
	Linda Ciborowski	1990
	Robin L. Goodband	1988
	Edward J. Lukey	1988
	Edward Welch	1989

Constables	Bernard F. Coffey	1989
	Robert F. Ford	1990
	Daniel Sirkin	1988
Council on Aging	W.R. Speirs, Chairman	1988
	David I. Clifton	1990
	Louis Goldberg	1989
	Esther Levy	1988
	Donald McKillop	1989
	Frances P. Roman	1989
	Harold L. Stubbs	1990
Dog Officer	Edwin S. Little	1988
Engineer	James E. Miller	
Executive SEcretary	Benjamin E. Puritz	
Fire Chief	James A. Polito	
Historical Commission	William B. Crawford, Chm.	1990
Historic District Commission	Katherine Cartwright	1988
	Eleanor Herburger	1988
	Chandler W. Jones	1989
	John A. Newell	1989
Alternates:	Herbert Gagnon	1988
	Edward Lyons	1990
	Sydney Morgan	1989
Housing Authority	Richard Martin, Chairman	1990
	John Connors	1988
	Dorothy Kaufman	1988
	Jacqueline Little	1990
	Shirley Markie	1990
Industrial Development	Peter Bagarella	1988
Financing Authority	Stephen Berish	1990
	Howard C. Smokler	1989
	Henry Zelcer	1991
Inspector of Animals	Edwin S. Little	1988
Inspector of Plumbing	Warren Grant	
Inspector of Wiring	James B. Delancy	
Lake Management Study Committee	Walter Newman, Chairman	
	Jeffrey Cassis	
	Ronald Gordon	
	Edward Welch	

Library Trustees	Suzanne K. Gray	1988
	Karen K. Goober	1989
	Helen V. Hogan	1990
	Sandra Lindheimer	1990
	Mark A. Popovsky	1990
	William L. Schweber	1989
Metropolitan Area Planning Council Representative	George B. Bailey	
Moderator	George E. Donovan	1990
Parking Officer	D. Scott Laurie	
Personnel Board	Arnold M. Kublin, Chairman	1990
	Ann V. Ellis	1989
	Robert D. Oehrlein	1989
	Robert V. Tango	1988
Planning Board	Martin A. Levitt, Chariman	1990
	George B. Bailey	1989
	Thomas C. Houston	1990
	Marilyn Z. Kahn	1988
	Alison J. Walsh	1991
Police Chief	Bernard F. Coffey	
Public Health Advisory Board	Stanley Rosen, Chairman	1989
	Vicki Anderson	1990
	Robert F. Currie	1988
	Arthur Haymes, M.D.	1989
	Dr. Marvin Hertzfel	1990
	Ellen Kawadler	1988
	Dr. Robert Lapuck	1988
	Gregory Offringa	1989
	Dr. Jay Schwab	1989
Public Works Superintendent	John A. Sulik	
Recreation Committee	Michael Ginsberg, Chairman	1988
	Larry Finkelman	1989
	Louis Kafka	1988
	Nancy Smargon	1989
Recreation Director	David I. Clifton	
Registrar of Voters	Shirley S. Davenport, Chm.	1990
	William B. Crawford	1988
	Coleridge Jemmott	1989
	William B. Keating	1989

School Committee	Robert Berish, Chairman	1989
	Martin Badolan	1990
	Susan Fried	1989
	Corrine Hershman	1990
	Judith Katz	1988
	Ellen B. Schoenfeld	1990
Sealer of Weights and Measures	James E. Mathews	1988
Selectmen	Colleen M. Tuck, Chairman	1988
	Michael L. Cook	1989
	Norman Katz	1990
Sign Committee	Stephen Shamban, Chairman	1988
	Diane Curtis	1990
	Steward Klein	1990
	Kenneth S. Sawyer	1988
Southeastern Regional Vocational Technican School Committee	James J. Leonard	1989
Town Clerk	Shirley S. Davenport	1990
Town Counsel	Manuel Katz	1988
Transportation Advisory Board	Mitchell Blaustein, Chm.	1989
	Gerard Albert	1990
	David A. Bohn	1989
	Ross Dindio	1988
	Earl Gashin	1990
	Paul C. King	1988
Treasurer-Collector	Frank M. Savino	1989
Veterans' Agent	Paul Bergeron	1988
Warrant Committee	Leland Katz, Chairman	1988
	Mitchell Blaustein	1990
	Leene Chavez	1989
	David C. Crocker, Jr.	1990
	Patricia Doherty	1989
	Harold M. Fienberg	1989
	Theodore Grossman	1988
	Terry Greenstein	1988
	Bruce Luchner	1988
	Richard B. Rabatsky	1990
Lee Barron Wernick	1988	
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	Joan Leighton	
	Bruce Luchner	
	Lloyd McDonald	
	Lee Barron Wernick	

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John W. Kulig, M.D.	1989
Stephen D. Lesco	1989
Jacqueline S. Little	1990
Anne K. Shelmerdine	1988

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